

in
your

WILDEST

dreams

Salesian 1998

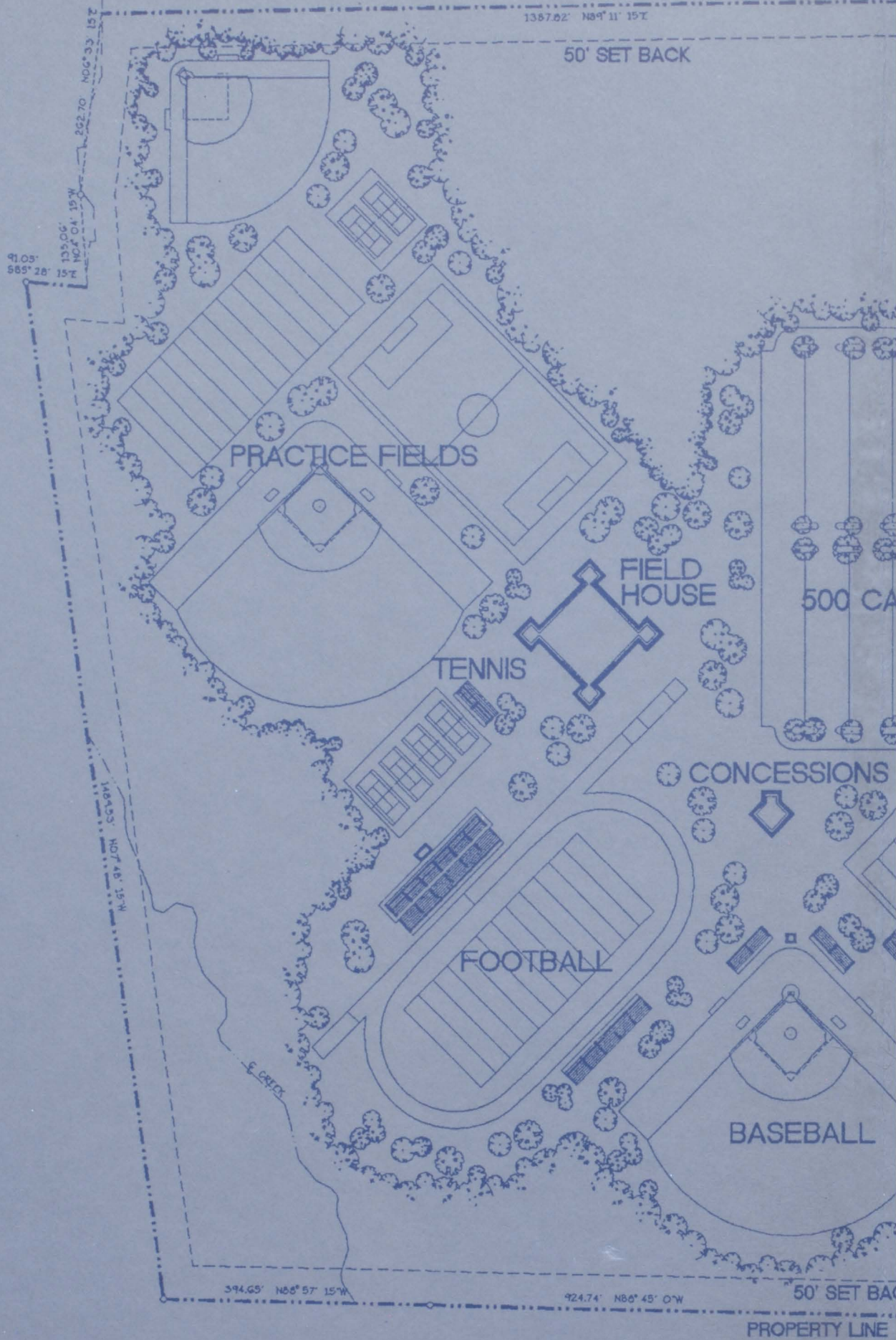


Table of Contents

Opening.....1

Academics..... 6

SPORTS.....26

Seniors.....62

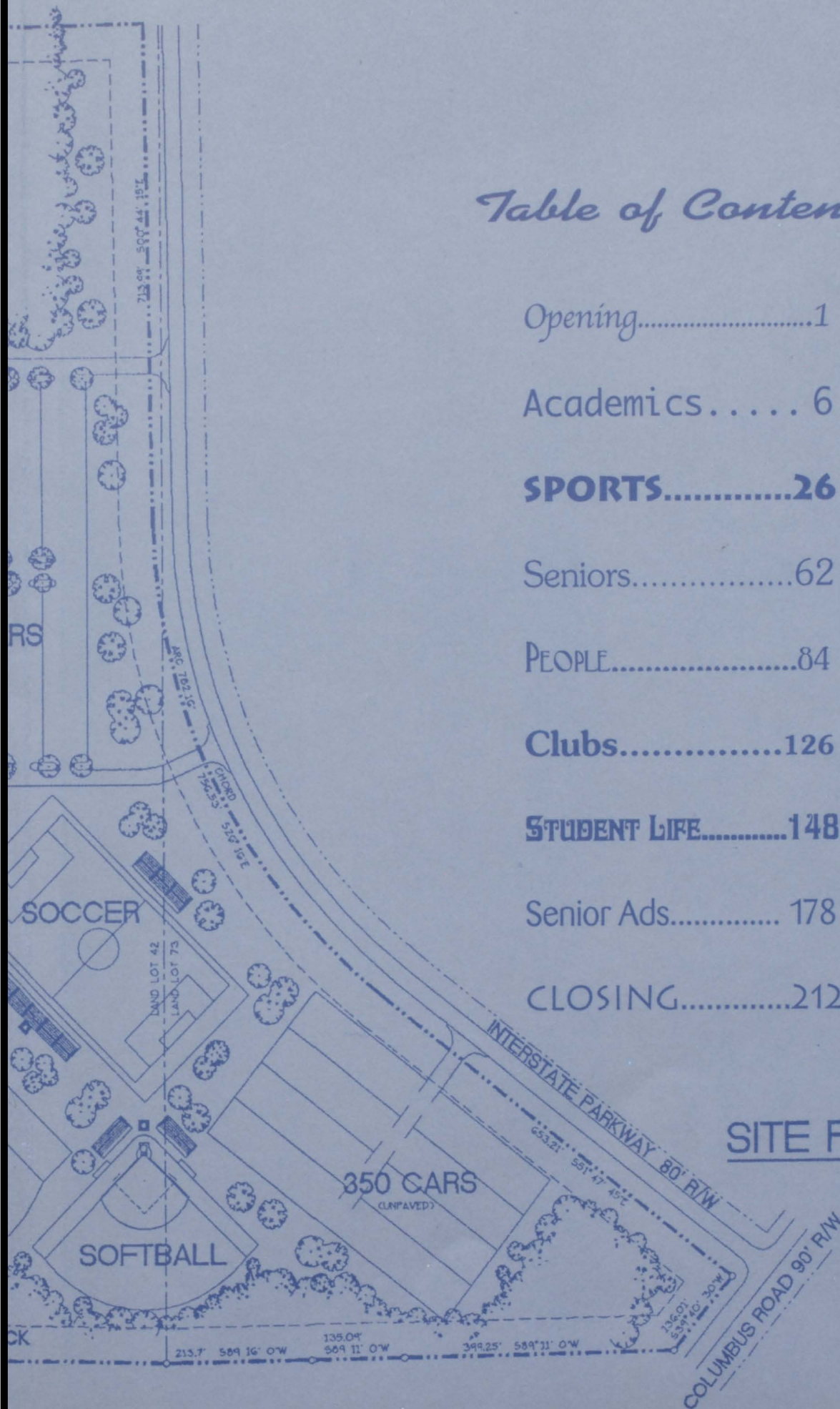
PEOPLE.....84

Clubs.....126

STUDENT LIFE.....148

Senior Ads..... 178

CLOSING.....212



SITE PLAN 0 25' 50' 100'





In Your

Wildest

Dreams

Salesian 1998

Volume 43 ~ Enrollment- 618

Mount de Sales Academy

851 Orange Street

Macon GA, 31201

E-mail

salesian@mds.macon.ga.us



Our Wildest Dreams Coming True

Here we are again! It's another new year at **MOUNT DE SALES ACADEMY**. We have taken tremendous strides as a school community and only in our wildest *dreams* could it all happen. Who would have ever believed that our Cavalier **BASKETBALL** team would win the state championship? And we even started another cheerleading squad, the **SWAT** team. The new building finally has a name now - Sheridan Hall and brand new classes like multi-media technology, astronomy and acting have given students the *opportunity* to develop and express their many talents.

♦ "We are absolutely WILD about this school!" Excited to have finally returned, these middle school students enthusiastically shout for joy as they prepare for yet another year of fun-filled and productive days.



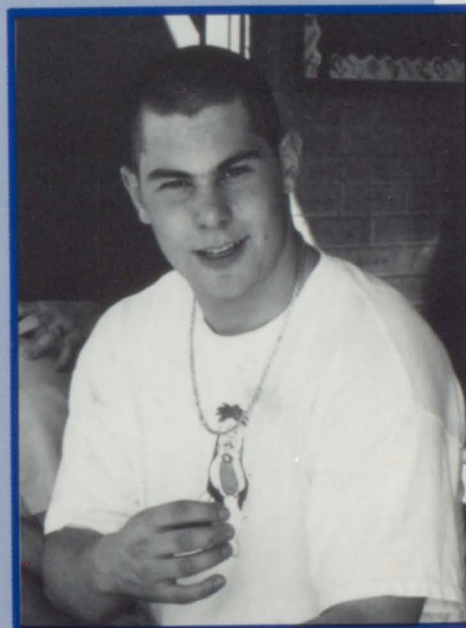


◆ "Doing this will be difficult, but I know that I can." Performing a traditional Indian DANCE in front of the school, Jayanthi Narain made a very educational contribution to our first annual Cultural Awareness Celebration.



◆ "It's time for the donuts, the bagels, and the juice! Bring them on!" These sophomores patiently sit during a prayer service as they bite their hunger pains. They know that their sweet DREAMS will soon come true.

◆ "One more mile and it will soon be over!" Freshman Cam Snow rounds a corner as he approaches the end of the race. Being the very FIRST year for our cross country team, we were very excited and remain proud.



◆ "Don't laugh at these snow cone stains." James Prigatano enjoys a snow cone during the NEW Spirit Week activities. Spirit Week is a time for the students to recognize all the activities that MdS has to offer.

◆ "S-U-P-E-R! Super, Super that's what we are!" Sophomore Lindsey Mumert builds SPIRIT for the students and the teams in a pep rally. One main goal for this year was to promote Cavalier pride and spirit.



Can You Believe It?



This year students went above and beyond, participating in community **service** for all their religion classes. The new dress code, new teachers, and the **I.D. Tags** gave the campus a whole new look. A beautiful new **SCIENCE LAB** was created in Mercy Hall and for the first time in MdS history at least 30 **different** countries were represented in a week long **MULTI-CULTURAL** celebration. And our beautiful new sports facility, Cavalier Fields is quickly becoming a **reality**.



◆ "We are dreaming of the days ahead, and with a little help from our **FRIENDS**, everything will be a lot easier." These middle school boys are all lined up as they prepare for high school and think about the school year ahead.

◆ "We are the loudest, rowdiest bunch of fans you have ever seen!" The members of the **SWAT** team, which was completely new this year, pause for a picture. Never in our wildest dreams did we think we would have fans like this.

♦ "Snap out of it! Come back to earth!" Sophomore Autumn Huntsinger tries to get the attention of her friend, Dyana Davis. Don't think Dyana realizes she is now a part of HISTORY.

♥ "This thing will not move! I have the hardest time with these physics labs." Seniors, Brooks Coates and Bill Tice complete an experiment in the NEW science lab in Mercy Hall. Mr. Mac never has these problems when he does it!



"We've got spirit, yes we do! We've got spirit, how about YOU! Nobody has as much spirit as we do!" Sophomores Beth Vance, Erica Arena, and Jennifer Van express their spirit for the school's dream of the new athletic complex.



"THIS is out of dress code?" Freshman, Justin Trentadue takes off his necklace on the first day of school. Student photographs and I.D.'s have to be taken in dress code.



"You're kidding me! You are not ED McMAHON!" Mrs. Lisa Kersey, our new financial secretary, stops for a moment during an extremely BUSY day to react to an office chuckle.

Working *Hoping* Dreaming

They say that *dreams* never come true if you don't work and learn. So, in that sense **everyone** at MdS is well on their way to achieving their dreams. The **ACADEMIC** program here is rigorous and you definitely have to stay on your toes. But the rewards students can **reap** from their efforts are many. From the core curriculum to *electives* like drama and art, students really have the opportunities to shine. Also, MdS has really **moved** up in the technology department. Wow!

♦ "Dust thou art"
Senior Kristen Kelly participates in the Ash Wednesday mass. Everyone is encouraged to PARTICIPATE in the religious services; they provide an opportunity for many students to concentrate on their spiritual goals.



◆ "How many diagonals can be drawn from one vertex of a regular octagon?" Senior Philip Cheshire makes amusing faces as he THINKS of the answer during a Math Day activity. Mathematics can be challenging, but Philip has it goin' on.



◆ "I could sit here all day and surf the net!" Zach Benson enjoys the educational benefits of the new TECHNOLOGY in the library. MdS won the Innovations in Technology Award and is one of the top twelve Catholic schools in the U.S.A.

◆ "Hey ... your five golden rings left an ugly green stain on my finger!" Junior Jennifer Blakenship enjoys her part in the chorus' COMICAL parody of a classic Christmas carol. The music program at MdS is an enjoyable addition to the core curriculum.



◆ "An Oscar Performance! Bravo Bravo!" Sophomore Kevin Wright acts in his second One-Act Literary play. He played the lead role of Pip from Charles Dickens' CLASSIC masterpiece, *Great Expectations*. Great job!



◆ "Johnny — girl of many talents!" Senior Johnny Lamb works with acrylics to create a beautiful painting. Like many others, she finds an outlet for releasing the day's frustrations through aesthetic EXPRESSION.

HIGH Hopes & HUGE Achievements

Being able to express oneself by word or song is what Literary Day is all about. Students are invited to share their talents in this special event, then they can put their skills to the test in region and state competitions. This year the Literary Team represented Mds well and brought home several awards.

♦ "Hot Eats, Cool Treats!"

Senior Sam Singer enjoys one of the many benefits of being on the Literary Team — ice cream! Not only did Sam compete well with his powerful, award-winning, critical essay, but as a treat, he enjoyed a Blizzard from Dairy Queen.



♦ "And Brer Fox ... He Lay Low"

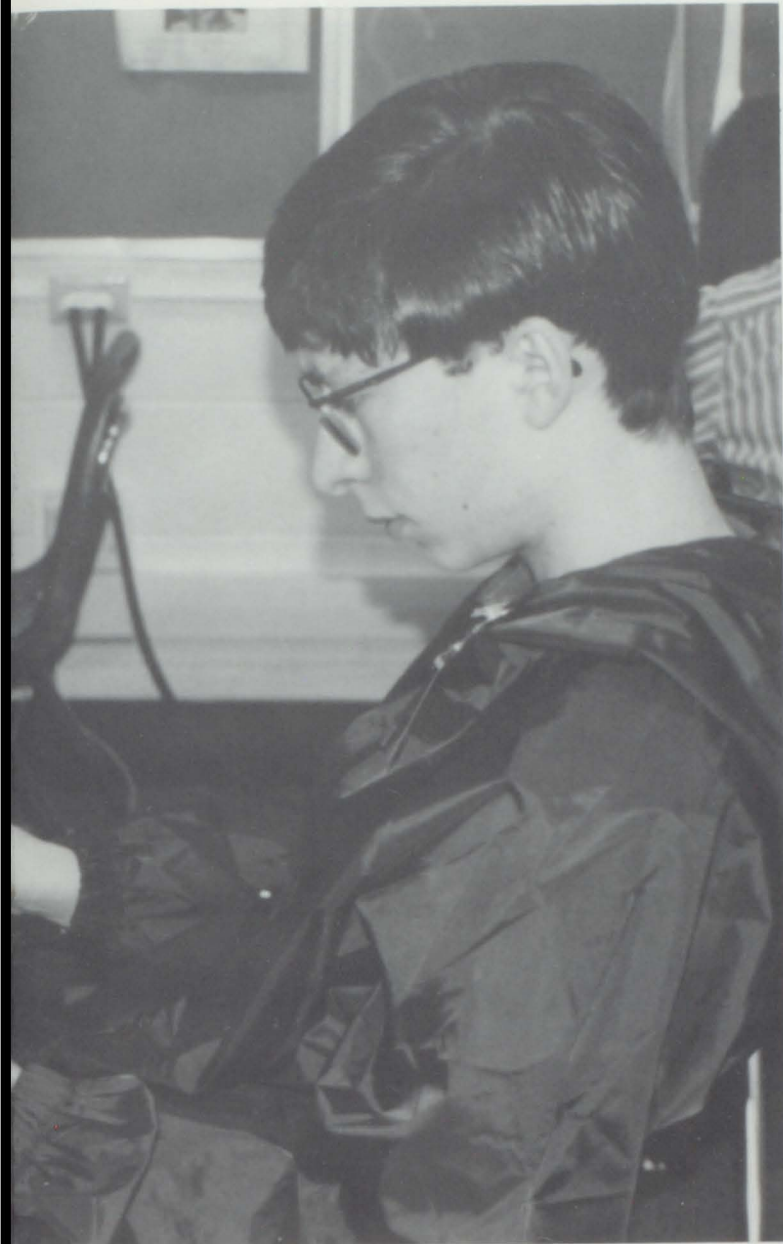
Mrs. Skinner, Turner Oppy, and Bill Tice help Rebecca Merschatt prepare for her oral interpretation, "The Wonderful Tar Baby Story." She had the students and faculty laughing at all of her amusing voices and characters.



♦ WIB: Women In Black!

Juniors Kelly Raines, Kelly Dessart, and Dennisha Vinson combined their magnificent voices into a trio that awed the judges and their fellow Cavaliers. So even though they're not defending the galaxy, they caught our attention.





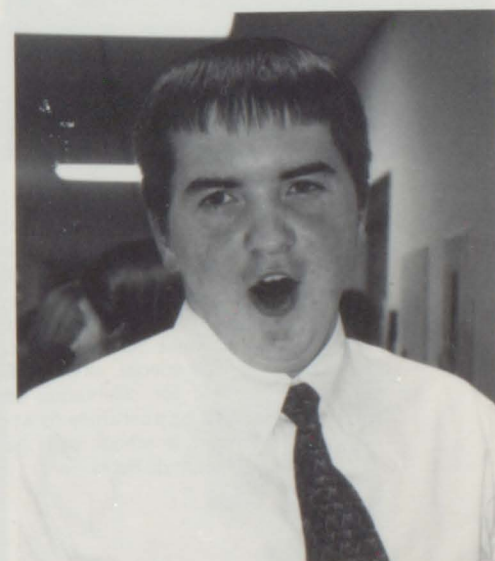
♦ **"I Need More Information, So I Have To Stop Looking At The Pictures!"** Senior Warren Stramiello steadily looks for more evidence to back up his speech. Warren took first place in Extemporaneous Speaking at Literary Day, Region, and State Competitions.

♦ **"Aren't You Proud?"** The MDS State Literary Team performed wonderfully in showing off their many talents. The award-winning team consisted of Madhu Adiga, Rebecca Merschat, Turner Oppy, Chad Cavender, Warren Stramiello, Bill Tice, and Sean Caulfield.



♦ **"I Used To Think Spelling Was Easy!"** Junior Jonathan Canady gives the literary spelling competition a try. This might be the last time Jonathan ever enters anything dealing with spelling again. I mean, who actually uses these words in real life?

♦ **"Will Anyone Join Me In A Song?"** Senior Chad Cavender practices singing and gets his voice ready for the State Literary Competition. He took first place in Boys Solo at Literary Day and he placed in the region competition, and we're so proud of him.



CONGRATS TO MDS STATE LITERARY TEAM

THE *Write Stuff*

CRITICAL ESSAY
Sam Singer
Madhu Adiga

SPELLING
Sean Hickey

LOOK WHO'S
TALKING

**EXTEMPORANEOUS
SPEAKING**
Warren Stramiello

ORAL INTERP.
Bill Tice
Rebecca Merschat

Caught
IN THE
ACT

QUARTET
John D. Cassidy
Turner Oppy
David Grinstead
Jesse Fortson

SOLO
Chad Cavendar
PIANO
Lisa Reeves

The



BIG



Picture

The award-winning "Fine Arts" Departments at MDS have quickly become a source of great pride and recognition. MDS Troubadours continue to produce hit plays and musicals, and the Art Department constantly impresses us with their masterpieces. The abundance of talent at MDS is obvious everywhere you look!

♦ "Such Possibilities!"

You may not recognize the artistic potential of a lump of Sculpie, but art students Thomas Bell and Corlee Blum do.



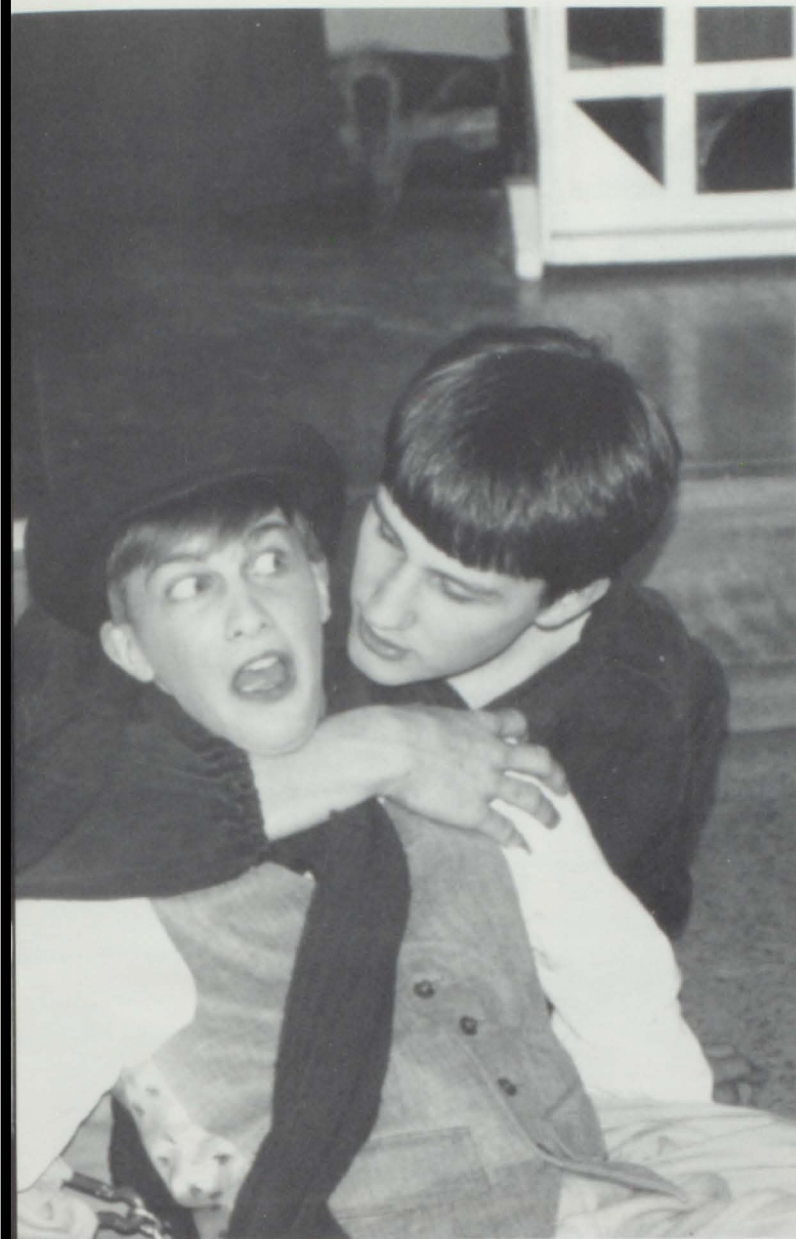
♦ The Dangers of Grout

Summer Causey demonstrates how to apply grout. So to all you grouters, follow her lead and wear those safety glasses!



♦ "I've Got Spirit, How About You?" Senior Christy Burress shows her school spirit and appreciation by assembling a banner for Catholic Schools' Week. This special week is a time for celebration of the opportunity to attend a school such as Mount de Sales.



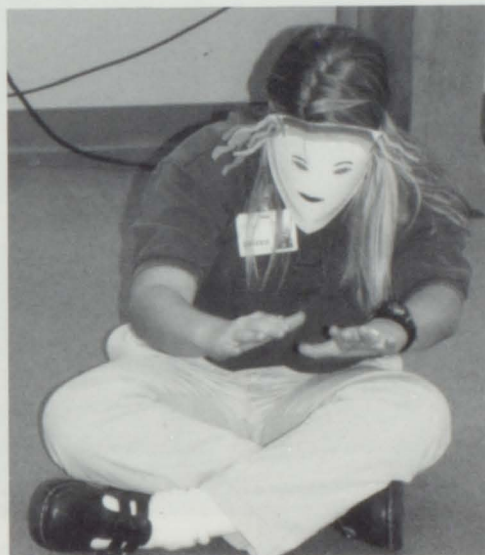


♦ **"Too Close for Comfort!"** Thespians Charles Frey and John Zebell practice a scene for the hit One-Act play *Great Expectations* in which Pip accidentally meets an escaped convict. Many hours of practice were required to make this production such a success.

♦ **"A+ Art"** Eden Taylor exhibits his impressive art in an unusual place — freshman English. His class concocted a variety of interesting ways to recreate scenes from *Romeo and Juliet*. Actually, some of Mds' best art comes from scholastically-based projects.

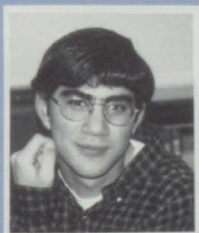


♦ **"Color Me Creative!"** Sophomore Rebecca Raffield lets her creativity flow during a free-form acting session in Mr. Freeman's Introduction to Drama class. Students were asked to create a colorful mask and act out whatever the mask compelled them to do.



♦ **"Mr. Wemmick I Presume ..."** In this scene from the award-winning One-Act play *Great Expectations*, Older Pip, played by Kevin Wright, meets Vernon Logan's character, Mr. Wemmick. Kevin Wright won the Best Actor award in the region One-Act Competition.

Artist of the Month



ARTIST OF THE MONTH is the Art Department's great new way of recognizing its most talented artists. Every month one talented student and his or her work of art is put on display in the MDS library. Matt DeFore is Artist of the Month for March.





Native Tongues



Castles, flint napping, & actually teaching an English class are just a few activities that make learning history and languages fun! Also, MdS students excell in the foreign languages: more than 24 students belong to the French & Spanish Honor Clubs!

"Who's Up For A Game Of Scrabble?"

Senior Tiffany Domingos and junior Chris Carrigan put their bilingual powers to use in a heated game of French Scrabble, a delightful pleasure that all of Mrs. Skinner's advanced French classes get to enjoy.



"No Dessert Would Be Complete Without Whipped Topping!"

In this speech class assignment, LaTonya McClen-don demonstrates how to make congealed salad. After finishing their "how-to" speeches, the whole class was treated to a feast of student-made goodies.



Promised Land Seventh grader Brian Mears admires this magnificent model of the Ancient Hebrew Tent of Meetings. This tent was used by Moses and the Israelites to house the Ark of the Covenant while wandering in the desert in search of the Promised Land.





"Boy, How Does Mrs. Sinksen Do It?" Nick Miklowski, Lindsey Holder, and Ivy Miller try their hand at teaching *Romeo and Juliet*. Many students who get this opportunity to take the teacher's place find that teaching can be fun, but it is also difficult.

"Feliz El Dia De Madre!" Spanish I students Jamie Davis, Ivy Miller, and Amanda Ferrara work incessantly along with the rest of Mr. Loy's class to complete their Mother's Day cards. Their moms will certainly appreciate these colorful expressions of love.



"Don't Try This At Home!" These American History students watch eagerly as Mr. Turner demonstrates yet another interesting aspect of Native American culture. Flint knapping was a technique used by American Indians to shape arrowheads and knife blades.

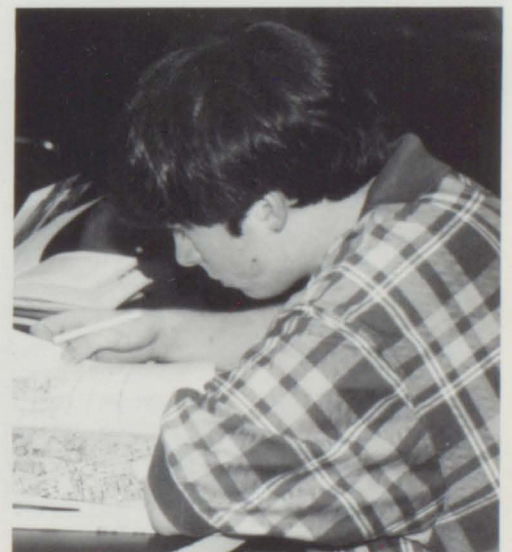
"I Need 40 Notecards By Tuesday And I've Only Got Ten!" Sophomore Taylor Bragg uses every moment to get some work done on Mr. Freeman's *killer* research paper. For about four weeks out of the year, every sophomore eats, drinks, and sleeps this paper.

Every year the junior class is assigned a really big project - castles. It is a lot of long, hard work, but most find that getting to work with one's hands is also a lot of fun.

Brinson Orr & Turner Oppy put some finishing touches on their castle.



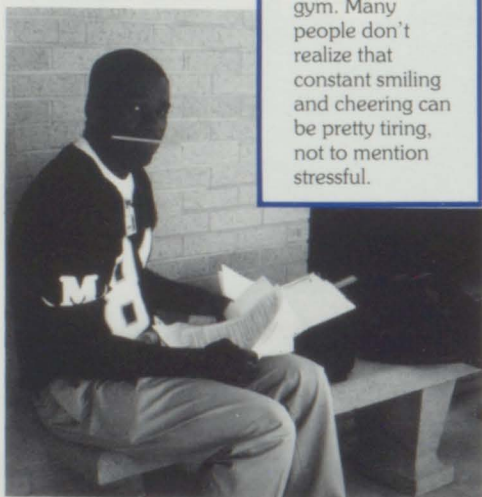
D'Mya Carswell pauses for a pose with her castle.



Stressed & Pressed

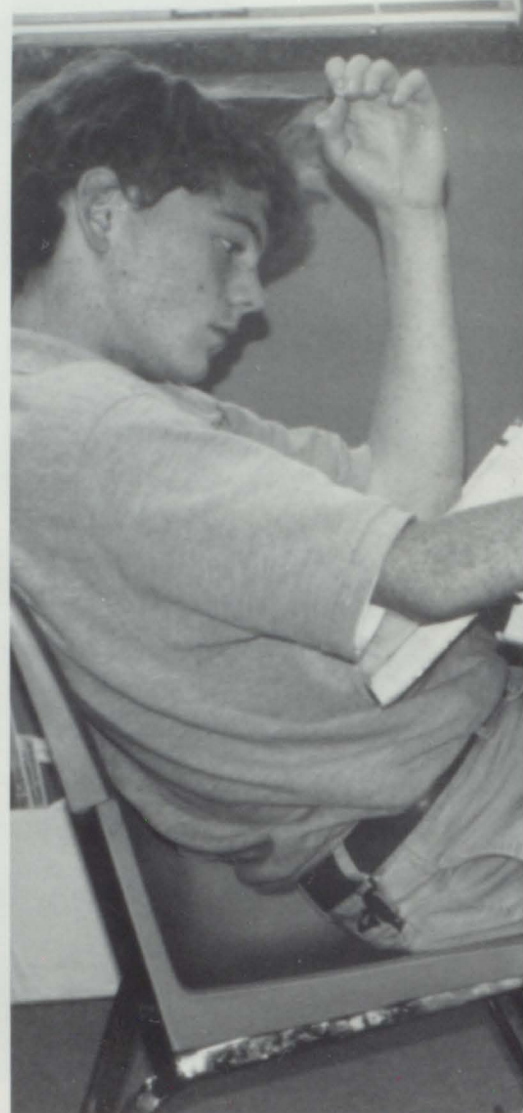
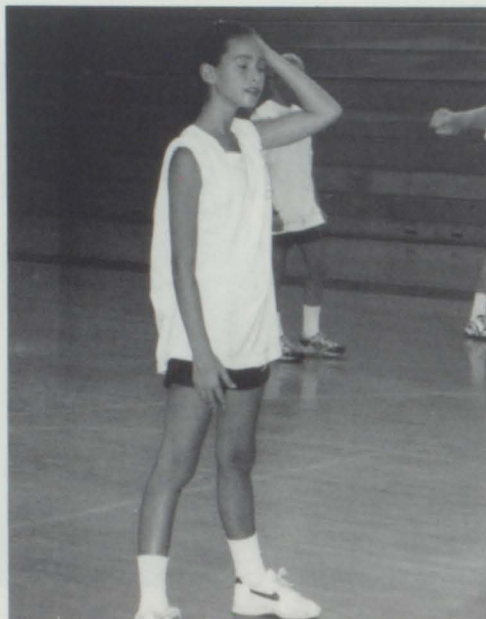
Stress is without a doubt a major part of our lives. Finding a way to juggle homework and extra-curricular activities isn't always the easiest thing to do. Some keep a schedule to lower the effects of stress. For others, a simple nap does the trick. Everyone handles stress in their own way. How do you handle stress?

♦ **"I Should Have Cleaned Out My Notebook A Long Time Ago!"** Kerry MacLaurin frantically searches for an important homework assignment. Many students have the same problem of misplacing needed papers and having to ramble through everything to find them.



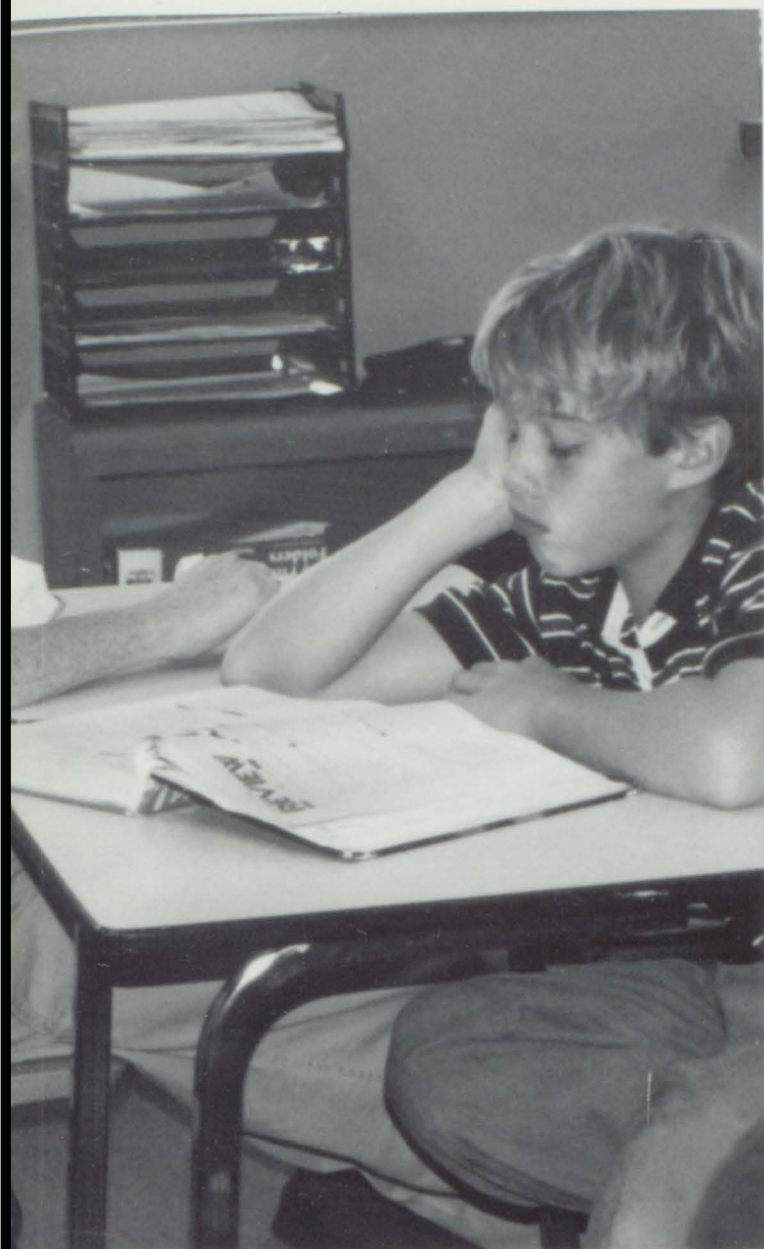
♦ **"How Much Of This Can I Take?"**

Obviously ready for a break, eighth grader Skylar Stull, rests for a moment during cheerleader tryouts in the gym. Many people don't realize that constant smiling and cheering can be pretty tiring, not to mention stressful.



♦ **"I Never Knew Acting Could Be So Fun!"** Genevieve Olivier and Kelly Wall let loose and have fun acting out a scene from *Miracle Worker*, a play about Helen Keller's miraculous breakthrough. This kind of break from traditional learning is always refreshing.

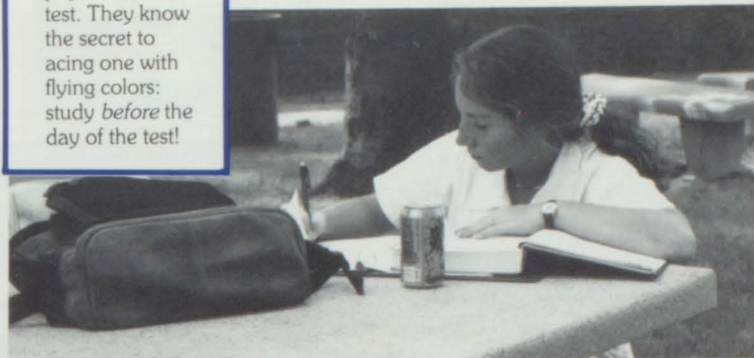




"Ugh! I'm About To Pull My Hair Out!"

Ren Stanley and Spencer Stull utilize their good study skills and spend time preparing for an upcoming physical science test. They know the secret to acing one with flying colors: study *before* the day of the test!

♦ **"Surge Will Keep Me Awake!"** Junior Mandie Reynolds uses the mighty powers of Surge in order to keep her eyelids open and finish her homework. If Mandie finishes early, then she can always use the remainder of her free period to rest her tired eyes.



♦ **"This Was Due Last Period, I Have To Finish!"**

Pressed for time, senior Philip Cheshire hurries to get his math assignment completed. All students can sympathize with that stressful feeling of being short on time with tons and tons of work left to do.

♦ **"Just How Many Sections Are There?"**

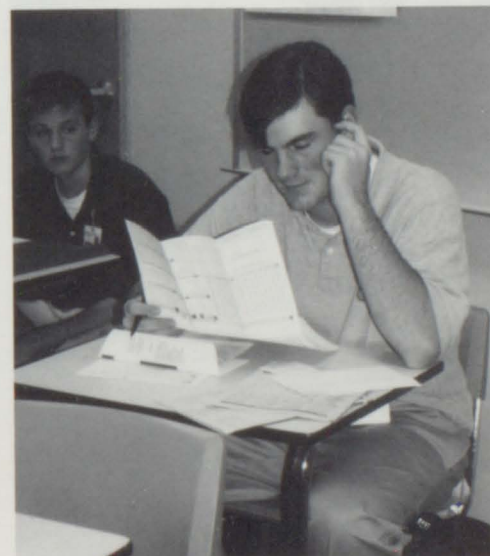
You can tell by the look on junior Brandon Renfro's face that the SATs are near. Of course everyone knows how stressful the test can be, but who would have thought that just registering for it would be so difficult?



This year the girls' PE classes got the chance to wear whatever they wanted to class, no matter how "tacky." Why? It was Tacky Day! It was wild! It was wacky! It was fun! There is nothing like letting the cares of fashion go to relieve a little stress!



**Wacky
&
Tacky**



Hitting the Notes



Music has proven not only to be a great way for us to express ourselves and our feelings, but also an excellent part of our school. MDS music brings joy to everyone listening.

Way To Drum Up The Excitement! Seventh grader Clark Stallings plays the drums for the MDS Pep band. At every MDS home football game, the band was there to pump up the spirit of the audience as well as provide everyone with energetic and lively music.



Hitting The High Notes! Concentrated on his music, sophomore Tim Price amazed the audience with his saxophone melodies! Our Christmas program was a hit thanks to the many talented musicians and students who wholeheartedly showed their Christmas spirit.



Ringin' In The Thanks! The Mount de Sales Thanksgiving prayer service included a musical performance by the handbell ringers. Everyone enjoyed giving thanks and listening to the speaker's interesting message on this very important day of the year.



... And A Partridge In A Pear Tree! In a lively rendition of "The Twelve Days of Christmas", peals of laughter could be heard for the terrific comical performance of the chorus. Students and faculty thoroughly enjoyed this fabulous way to end the year.

Celebrating The Season Students watch in awe as the chorus led by Mrs. Washburn lifts their voices to capture the essence of Christmas! Always in good spirits this time of the year, the MDS student body looks forward to the holiday they have coming.



Now The Strings! The violin section added a delightful touch to this year's Christmas program! Dennisha Vinson performed wonderfully as the talented group played their way into the hearts of their listeners. It was a great way to celebrate the season!

What A Beautiful Voice She Has! Trysha Stephens, a senior at Mount de Sales, sings to get the audience ready for the Christmas season. Her holiday greeting through song was followed with cheers and a round of applause from the MDS students and faculty.

♪ ♪ A Musical Note ♪ ♪

Mount de Sales
Universal Language
Sharing the love of music
Inspiring every audience
Chorus, Band, and Handbells

Attention getting
Talented students

Music makers
Destined to greatness
Sweet sounds.





FUN-damentals



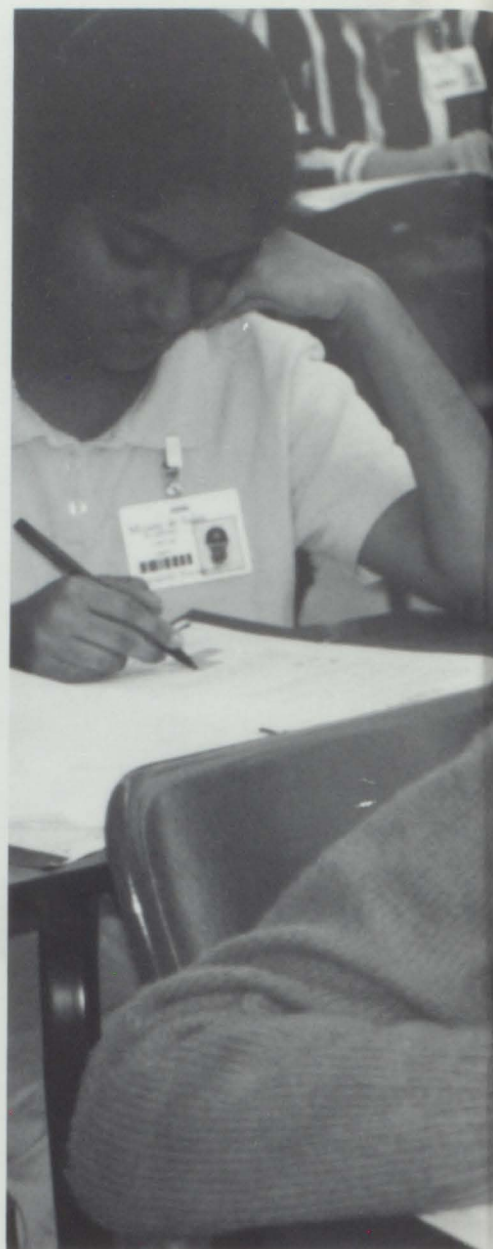
From tessellations and dodecahedrons to Math Day Munchies, math teachers at MDS are always concocting new ideas to make math more interesting. Math Day even makes it fun!

Food, Comfort, and Math! Senior Carl Perazzola shows us how it ought to be as he finishes math problems while relaxing on a mattress and sharing candy with his pal, Jason Boney. At least it's easy and comfortable to solve the Math Munchies this way.

Go Fievel, Stuart, Bernard ... Whoever You Are! Jennifer Nelson encourages the little white mouse to enter the gigantic "MDS Football" as David Puryear looks on. This "a-maze-ing" project was created by Jennifer and her partner Jenny Pashcke for Geometry.



Caution: Team One Hard At Work! Math Day's Team One puts their heads together to successfully solve Mr. Garvin's Math Munchies. In this day-long competition, selected students from each class learn cooperation, problem-solving, and of course, math!





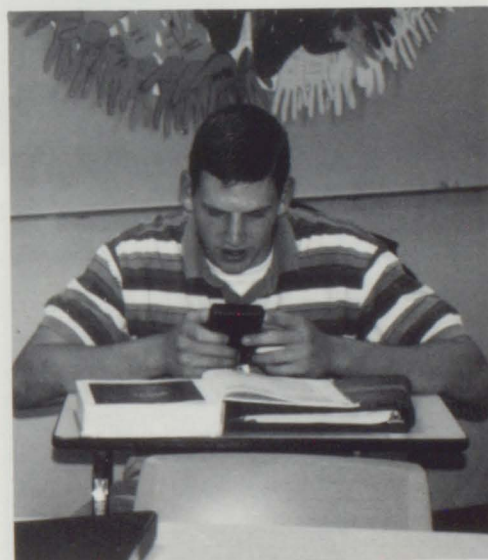
Mixed Emotions! During this middle school math team session, Jayanthi Narain puzzles over a tough word problem. Meanwhile Julia Doolittle can't help giggling at how fun math can be. These two show that math can be challenging and fun at the same time.

No, No, ... Can't Move There ... Junior Eric Hogue studies the board to calculate the most advantageous move to defeat his classmate, Vance Bumgardener. Eric may look like he has the lead on him, but Vance obviously has a few tricks up his sleeve.



What Are These Things? Senior Lesley Anne Jordan looks at the paper dodecahedrons that she has created in her math class. As a hands-on experience for Mr. Schindler's Math IV class, the students built these odd, yet fun and amusing 3-D paper shapes.

Tetris, Indy 500, Nibbles, Hmm ... During a short break before the bell, senior David Berndt takes advantage of the many benefits of modern calculators. David is probably enjoying one of the MDS student body's favorite pastimes: **CALCULATOR GAMES!**



"Geometry is fun and exciting everyday. Mr. Schindler's use of tessellations and other hands-on activities helps us to understand the uses of geometry and spacial relations in everyday life."

-Meg Walters

"The Mouse" Tessellation
created by India Anderson
MDS Geometry student

Praise, Thanks, & Blessings

Religion is undoubtedly one of the aspects that make Mount de Sales special. Masses, prayer services, and other religious events help us to become both closer to God and to ourselves.

♦ Songs of Thanks

During the beautiful Thanksgiving Mass, junior Jennifer Blankenship uses her gift of song to show the audience what Thanksgiving is really all about. The entire school gathered in the gym to celebrate this special holiday season.



♦ Heavenly Creations

We all imagine what the Creation, Noah's Ark, and the Tower of Babel looked like. The seventh grade Hebrew Scriptures class did projects on these important parts of biblical history. Angela Ellisa shows us her rendition of Noah's Ark.



♦ Sing Along With Me!

The freshman class follows Mrs. Skinner, the cantor, during the Thanksgiving Prayer Service. Students enjoyed being able to participate in this great program. The speaker told us the many reasons why we should be thankful.





✦Out-Stretched

Palms At this prayer assembly during Catholic Schools Week, the entire faculty joined in a unique blessing to encourage the students to grow and prosper. With our prayers and this blessing, MDS will become a better place to learn.

✦**I Give Thanks Because** ... Thanksgiving is a time to reflect on our blessings and to express our thankfulness. At the Thanksgiving Prayer Service, junior Mandie Reynolds reminds us of the things we have to be thankful for and why we should show gratitude.



✦**We Deserve A Break!** Everybody has a chance to participate in Mass; some sing in the chorus while others participate in the audience. Some students (like seniors Charles Frey and James Crawford) exhibit their faith by acting as acolytes during mass.

✦**"This Is The Body Of Christ ..."** Freshman John Hurley humbly receives communion from our Assistant Principal Chester Pierce at this Mass on Mercy Day. John is one of the many Catholics at Mount de Sales Academy that participate in this holy sacrament.

What Did YOU Like About Catholic Schools Week?

"The observance of Catholic Schools Week gave us a cool opportunity to bond with the faculty and students."

--- Trysha Stephens

"I gained a new appreciation for Mount de Sales and all of the special things about it."

--- Justin Bundrage

"I liked Catholic Schools Week because the teachers were so nice to us."

--- Kirk Davenport



ALL STRETCHED OUT



Weightlifting, basketball, football, volleyball, archery, you name it --- the MDS P.E. classes do it all. Phys Ed may provide a break from academics, but *break* may not be the best word for it! Whether they are playing some ball or learning about their their health, these students are getting a real workout!

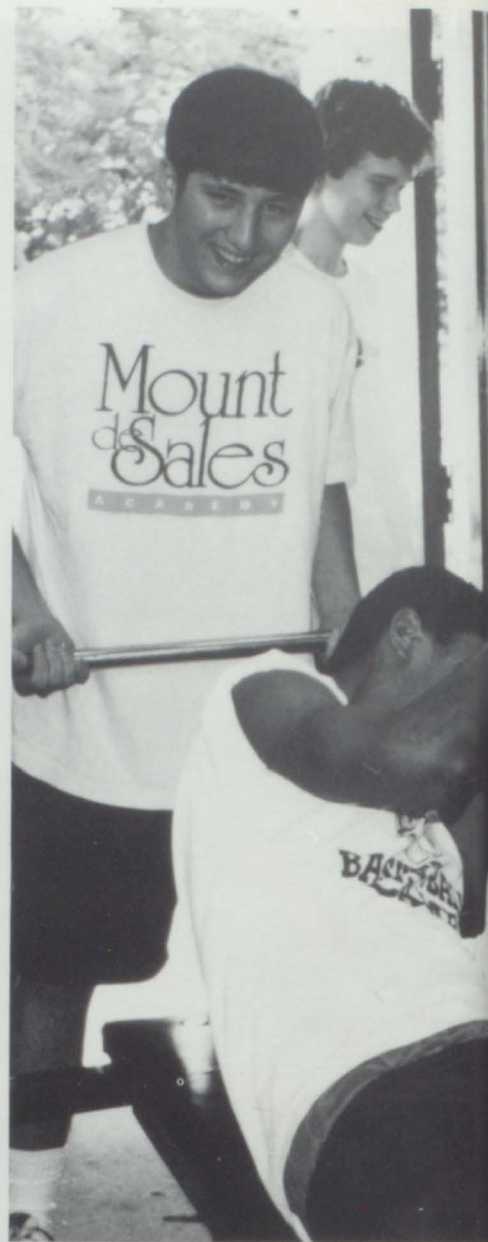
"Ready ... Aim ...

Fire!" The sport of archery requires intense concentration and strength. In Coach Hope's Physical Education Class, Freshmen Michelle Bentley and Florence Bivins show that with a little power and luck you can hit the bull's-eye.



"I Know I Can Do Just One More Set!"

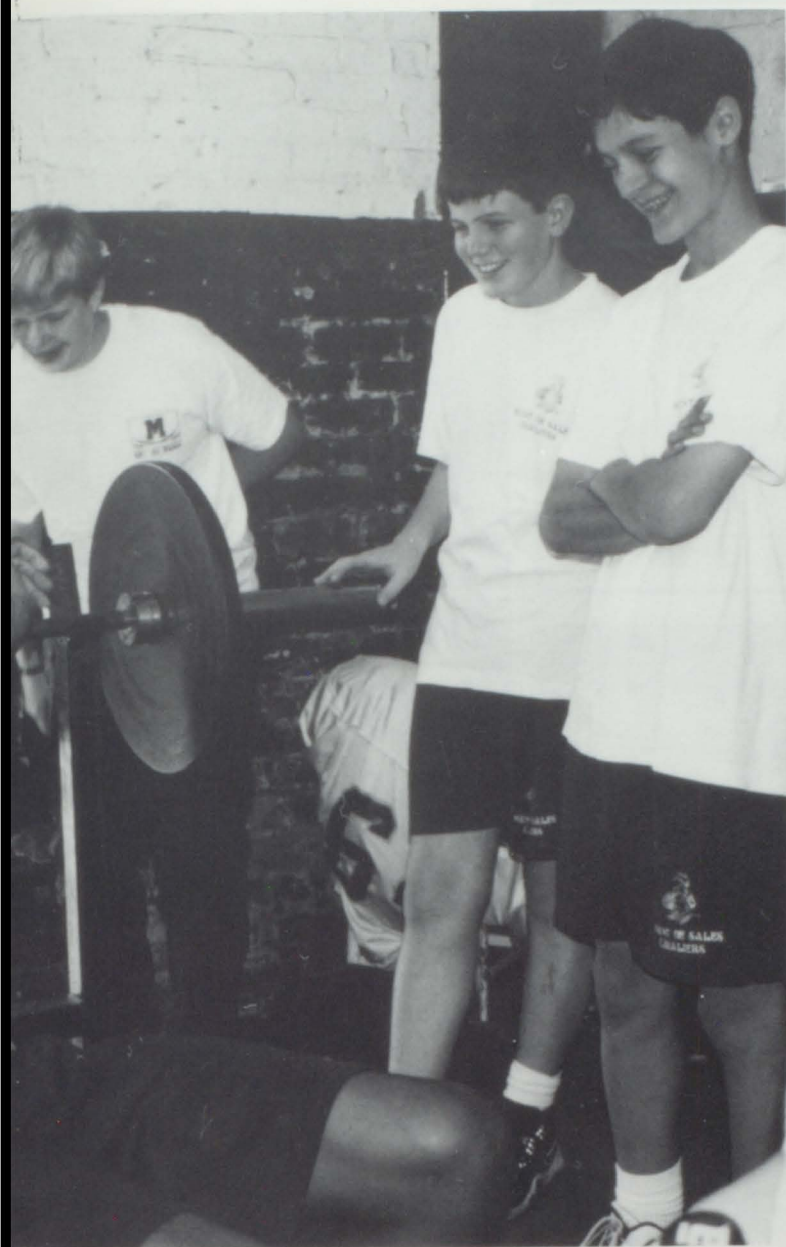
Ahhh --- the joy of weightlifting! Or rather, the pain. Either way, it shows in Tyler Cribb's face. This activity builds up endurance, strength, and muscles, and has proven to be a real favorite with the boys.



Getting Some ZZZ's

Eighth Graders Katie Coates, Kristen Taylor, and Ashley Harrison take a well-earned break from the exhausting activities of the Middle School Olympics. These Olympians learned the importance of team work in both playing and relaxing.





"What a Man!" Brandon Geddis completes his lifts under the watchful eye of his spotter, Chad Stefano. The freshman boys spend one quarter in Cavalier Hall, and the valuable conditioning skills learned there help keep them healthy and in shape.

"One, Two, Three, Pull!" Kristen Williamson cheers on her classmates to win the tug-of-war event. In Middle School Olympics students test their physical ability, teamworking skills and ability they have fun in many different events and activities.



"Spike That Ball!" Students cheered as Paul Kirkland does something many students would love to do — spike on the teachers! On Spirit Day the seniors got a chance to test their skills against some tough competition in the Senior-Faculty volleyball game.

"What an Awesome Dunk!" The crowd goes wild as senior Edward Kendrick shows that, yes, you can dunk a football. This year's Fun Night was complete with the heated "battle of the classes" and crazy relays, one of the craziest being the football relay.

THE BEST THINGS ABOUT P. E.

Great dress code
Get to wear "real" shoes
No IDs
Tacky Day
Throwing things in class
Playing games with your friends



Taking A Byte



This year, Mount de Sales Academy was honored with a very prestigious award. We were selected as one of twelve Catholic schools in the nation that excelled in the area of technology. This Excellence in Technology Award is a great achievement!

♦ **"Ho! Ho! Ho!"** Tomorrow's Leaders students Bill Tice and Alison Lewis "don their gay apparel" for a Kris Kringle commercial on the morning announcements. They had everyone laughing as they demonstrated the fun involved in Kris Kringle through giving.



♦ **"What is That!?"** Sophomore Samantha Silva helps her partner dissect an earthworm. This lab involved identifying even the tiniest parts of the worm. Dissections are a great hands-on way to study biology, that is, if you have the stomach for them.

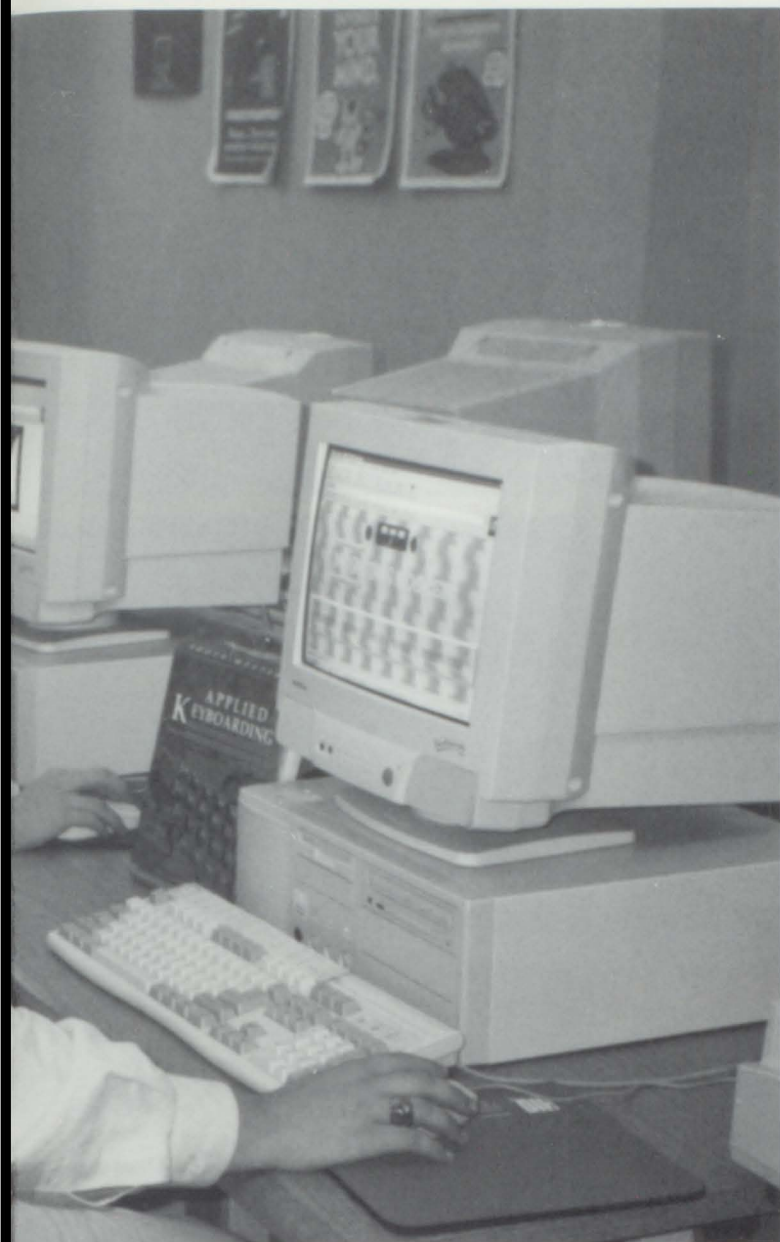


♦ **"Let Down the Drawbridge!"** Charles Frey videotapes Mary Daigle and Connie Alman's castle for the morning announcements. Each year the juniors build a castle and write a paper about it. Some were so big that they couldn't even be brought to school!



"Excellent ... If I Do Say So Myself!" Philip Cheshire shows off the Girl's Soccer webpage that he helped to create. The new multimedia technology class acts as a workshop in which any faculty member can have a webpage or presentation created or updated.

"The Best Part Is Getting To Color!" Sophomores Nick Richardson, Jennie Thigpen, and Jennifer Puckett work diligently on a biology lab. The lab required use of the microscope to study the makeup of plant and animal cells and note their characteristics.



"Talk About A Real Commitment!" Andrew Lizek uses some homeroom time to work on a six-week long lab involving the study of sex-linked gene inheritance patterns of fruit flies. Lots of time, care, and close attention was put into this special project.

"It'll Be Okay, Missy!" Missy Arcand covers her face in frustration during a chemistry lab. Getting those pesky significant digits right, not spilling any skin-peeling acid, and not breaking any of Mr. Mac's precious instruments can be very stressful.



WEBMASTERS

Charles Frey
Jeff Bester
Sean Hickey
Micah Cooper
Gabe Azar

The DREAM Teams

Our football team played what the critics called "**the perfect game**" this winter. The State Championship extended into TRIPLE overtime. In the end, MdS came out second on the score board but **first** in the hearts of all the fans. Boys Basketball had a super season! They advanced to the state level and with one wild **crowd** of students to cheer them on, they walked away with a **victory**. The Girl's soccer team made us proud with a 3rd place in state. The *Swim team* really made some waves: the boys won 1st and the girls won 2nd place in the State meet.



The 1998 Cavalier Basketball Team! The State Champions! After an unbelievable game and some WILD and crazy cheering, the boys brought home a great big trophy. Way to go guys! We are proud of you!

"I'm gonna go for the goal! I know I can make it!" Sophomore Adam Koetter positions himself to take the SHOT. With such a wiz kid, the Mount de Sales Varsity Boys Soccer team is sure to have a head start next year.



"You might want to look out and watch your back because here comes the BIG bad boys from MdS!" The members of the varsity football team get pumped up for the state game. These guys had a fantastic year and we're so proud of them.

"I said it's great to be a CAVALIER!" Patty Bieger congratulates Kelly O'Brian and celebrates after a hard fought game. These ladies have really played with class; the girl's soccer team is another one of our DREAMS that came true.



"The eye of an eagle! She is ready for anything!" Middle schooler, Kristen Taylor watches carefully and prepares to TAG the next runner out. Sharp skills like these help make the Cavalier softball teams the best.



"It's really cold! Can somebody please bring me a towel?" Katie Horst anxiously awaits the WARMTH of that terry cloth joy. But she definitely felt good after finding out the J.V. swim team took state.

Taking the Offensive

"It's good!" Sophomore Nick Richardson and Junior Mike Walton successfully score another extra point. Fieldgoal accuracy requires skill and practice.

They're tough, they're intimidating, they're unruly, they're SENIORS! They are warriors sent from another dimension to crush any opponent.

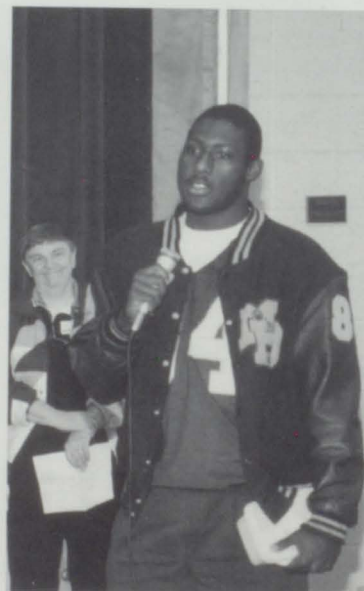


"If you really wanna party with me, let me see just what you've got for me, put all your hands where my eyes can see!"

Junior
Oppy puts
where you can
cheers on his
mates. Through-
out the season the players on the side lines were busy keeping the crowd's spirit alive.



"I am the man!" Sophomore Xavier Randall celebrates after another MDS touchdown. Xavier is a junior runningback and is a tremendous help.



"I have a dream!" Senior Edward Kendrick lays down the law to the student body by demanding their attendance at the State Championship game. Student support is vital.

"Who ya' wit- T Wes, who ya wit !?" Senior Tony Wesley is on a roll and in control as he runs over the Tattnall defense. Tony made many great contributions to the MDS offense throughout the season.



"There's no stopping me now!" Senior Carl Perazzola uses his brute strength to fight his way through the Westfield defenders. This game was just the beginning.



"There's another for the crowd!" Halfback Franklin Mack makes an awesome touchdown catch. Franklin, #32, was one of the teams key scorers.



As the mighty and fearless Cavaliers charge onto the field, the cheerleaders yell and the fans scream to encourage them to yet another terrific victory.



"We had a great season and I'm really going to miss all the good times we had."
- Mike Kusar

SCORES

vs.	score
Westfield	34-7
Terrell	33-14
Stratford	51-9
Windsor	64-0
Athens	
Christian	49-0
Brentwood	39-7
FPD	42-13
Monroe	21-6

PLAYOFFS

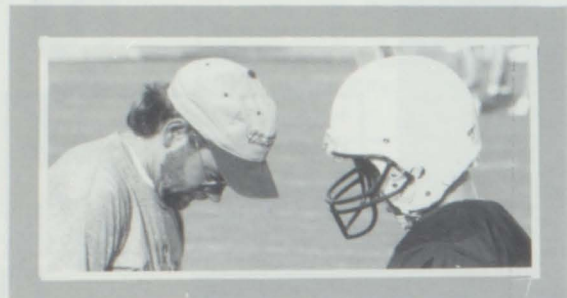
George	
Walton	48-14
Tattnall	23-15
Stratford	47-14
Westfield	47-13
Tattnall	35-36



5th Row: Coach Pierce, Coach Garvin, Coach Slocum, Coach Davis, Coach Garvin, Coach Sherwood. 4th Row: Shelby, Flanders, Hubbard, Kusar, Shelby, McLaurin, Pierce, Norfleet Kendrick, Borden. 3rd Row: Azar, Wisdom, Ducotie, Davis, Fortson, Leonard, Bell, Brennaman, Barneau, Wade, Bumgardner. 2nd Row: Lamb, Williams, Summers, Washburn, McBride, Mack, McBride, Brown, Matovu, Berndt, Prigatano, Rosa. 1st Row: Sams, Slocumb, Knight, Richardson, Walton, Randall, Knight, Perazzola, Oppy, Wesley, Crumbley.

IT'S A SNAP

◆**Freshman Ben Washburn** shows off the premier stunt he learned from the legendary Hulk Hogan on Saturday morning wrestling. Unfortunately for his guinea pig opponent all of his T.V. watching proved to pay off right when we needed it.



◆**"You can't touch this!"** Sophomore Andy Knight sprints for a touchdown during an important Cavalier match-up versus the rival Tattall Trojan team. Skills and spirit like this are what ensures that our team always comes out on top!



◆**Eighth grader Carlton McMillan** fiercely struggles to break away from the powerful grips of the defending Trojan defense. Carlton hopes to retain the football and advance himself to touchdown position. Our Cav offense can't be stopped!



Top Row (left to right): Hamilton Hardison, Kevin Matovu, Ryohei Matsumoto, Carlton McMillan, Lee Matthews, Ben Pierce, Josh Chaffin. Middle Row (left to right): Alan Cardwell, Scott Hatcher, Phillip Hudson, Joshua Newby, Byron Francis, Steven Hollis. Bottom Row (left to right): Brant Orr, Rocky Rogers, Garrett Shelby, John Gaskins, Cori Johnson, Tony Baumann.



Top Row (left to right): Ryan Wade, David Brennaman, John Norfleet, Mike Stone, Ryan Leonard, Ed Harris, Chad Stefano. Middle Row (left to right): Ben Washburn, Matthew Gay, Tyler Cribb, Xavier Randall, John Paul Shelby, Patrick Cassidy, David Rumph. Bottom Row (left to right): Andy Knight, Matt McBride, Justin Trentadue, Kevin Summers, Brian Slocum, Devin Cooper.

ALWAYS ON PITCH

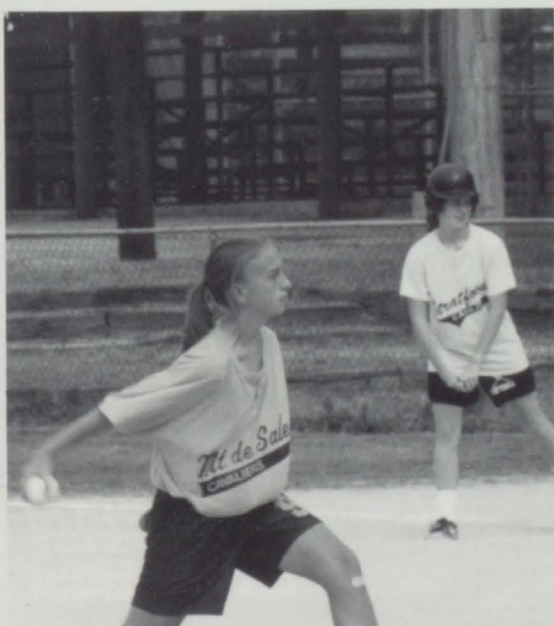
♦ **Sophomore Jessie Rosa** stares intently at the batter in the box contemplating how to use her unique pitching skills for just one more out. Looks like all the practice at trying to dunk teachers in the dunking booth was well worth her money!



♦ **"Out with a bang, kickin' up dust!"** Freshman Keri Beth Tidmore boldly dives into second base hoping to distract her second base opponent and also the nearby ref. Although she is out, she brought a run in, a good sacrifice for her team.



♦ **Top Row:** Coach Katherine Hatcher, Jennifer Leverett, Emily Pittard, Rachel Watts, Rachel Patch, Katie Leverett, Coach Tam Smith. **Middle Row:** Laura Wood, Audra Nessing, Kristen Bryant, Kelly Wall, Rachel Spradley, Keri Beth Tidmore, Manager Lauren Patch. **Bottom Row:** Frances Layfield, Brooke Burkhalter, Melissa Washburn, Katie Hatcher, Jessie Rosa, Stephanie Deep.



♦ **"I can strike you out with one hand behind my back and my eyes closed. Well, maybe I'll open my eyes."** Seventh grader Katie Hatcher prepares to complete the inning with another strike out. Katie must be butter because she's on a roll!



♦ **"There's no 'I' in this 'TEAM'!"** The junior varsity girls gather together between innings to pray and to get motivated to play. The huddle is an important part of every game because it reminds the athletes of the true spirit of the game.

♦ **Sophomore Sherry Long** with her game face on, predicts the ball making contact with her bat and soaring over the heads of the stunned outfielders. Sherry's hitting skills are greatly appreciated and she can always be counted on to score big.

"Hey second baseman, while you're down there tying your shoe I'm about to jet!" Freshman Britteny Heath prepares for her cue to take off. Her quick reaction time is very helpful.



"This one's for you mom!" Junior Sara Hill is in the zone. Because Sara spent numerous hours in the practice cage perfecting her swing, she was a high scorer all season long.

Coach Hatcher stares intently at her Cavalier girls as they tread down the dusty road of success to another MDS victory. Her intimidating glare lets others know that she means business.

"The season was fun because everyone got along very well." — Sara Hill



Top Row (left to right): Coach Tam Smith, Betsy Washburn, Angie Cook, Trish Yarborough, Coach Lynn Hatcher, Coach Katherine Hatcher. Middle Row (left to Right): Carrie Deloach, Lucy Crosby, Sara Mead, Christina Leslein, Sherry Long, Jessica Stinson. Bottom Row (left to right): Lena Mathis, Sara Hill, Brittny Heath, Kristin Taylor, Dyana Davis, Jennie Thigpen.

.....Scores.....	
Monroe	8-7
Stratford	10-9
John	
Milledge	5-9
Windsor	5-7
Tattnall	7-8
FPD	2-3
Monroe	9-8
Windsor	14-10
St. Francis	18-0
George	
Walton	16-1
Tattnall	5-6
Athens	
Christian	22-0
Southland	9-6
Stratford	6-14
FPD	9-8

HOMeward BOUND

"We're bad and we know it!" Betsy Washburn and Lena Mathis take a break before getting focused on their game against Tattnall. These two players play a large role in every game.



"It's deep, deep, it's outta here!" Trish Yarborough sends another ball for a ride over the fence. Trish is one of the best players and we expect Trish to take her talents to the next level.

"Wow, is Sherry concentrating that hard" Sophomore Sherry Long waits patiently on deck as she watches her teammate. We want a homerun, go Sherry!



"She's out!" Carrie Deloach strives to retrieve the ball and end the inning. She has many years to lead the younger Cav athletes to a state title. Coach Hatcher can always count on Carrie!



"She's in there!" Jennie Thigpen slides in safely. Jennie is a great contributor and known for striking fear in opposing teams. Her great skills offered much help towards the season.

"What a sweet swing!" Junior Lena Mathis takes a practice swing before game time. Lena played a tough defense at shortstop and was an important asset to the Cavalier offense. The team worked hard all season and their efforts were greatly re-

warded by making it to the state finals. Congratulations Lady Cavs!



♦ **"Let's get ready!"** The B-Team Soccer Team prepares for the game by participating in some pre-game running. The team looks anxious and focused on its upcoming game. The Cavaliers are confident that they will continue with their winning ways.

NEVER KICKED AROUND



♦ **"What should I do?"** Freshman Carl Garofalo contemplates how he can outsmart a defender by maneuvering the ball. With a little strategy, Carl prevents the player from earning a steal. This experience earned him a varsity playing spot, too.



Top Row: Spencer Stull, Lanier Sammons, Timothy O'Mahoney, Ren Stanley, Jonathan Blankenship, Bobby Honrath, Andrew Liedle, Michael Grimsley. Middle Row: Coach Taylor, Nick Ewing, William Young, Jesse Mielarczyk, Brian McBrearty, Jonathan Koetter, Coach Schindler. Bottom Row: Jason Spicer, Drew Edwards, Benjamin Smith, John David Pinkston, Andy Arena, Jeff Dadisman, John Kipe, Andrew Blankenship.

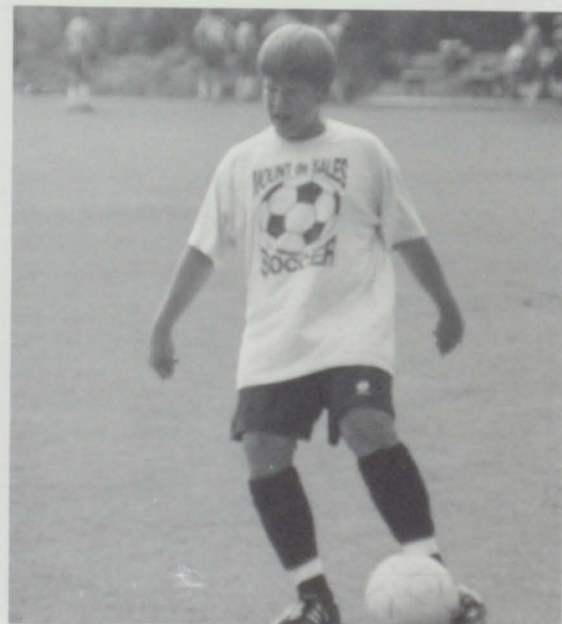


♦ **"Stop distracting us?"** Andy Arena and his teammate pause for a moment during the game for a quick picture. The Varsity Soccer Team looks forward to having these goalkeepers in the near future. Both players led the Cavaliers to many victories.

♦ **"You should start every game with some O.J. for energy!"** Middle schooler O.J. Carthon practices on his dribbling before the game. All of our soccer players are taught to be dedicated and focused on the task at hand. This makes us #1!



♦ **"Look at him!"** Eighth-grader Jonathan Koetter takes part in a pre-game drill. Jonathan looks confident as he awaits the opening kickoff to the game. When the game begins, we know the Cavaliers will be ready to battle their opponent.



♦ **"Follow the leader."** Eighth grader Jessica Freeman leads the Cavalier girls through the woods to the finish line, during an exciting cross country race. The cross country team's endurance and dedication made for a successful first season.



GOING THE DISTANCE

♦ **"Feel the burn!"** Sophomore Jane Wooley extends her strides and takes deep breaths as she tries to keep up a steady pace and maintain her enormous lead. It's very important to stay calm and focused in a race as strenuous as this one.



Top Row: Sean Caufield, Carlen Kaurfault, Will Dowling, Coach Kaurfault. Middle Row: Coach Hope, Cam Snow, Daniel Castresana, Kelly Wall, Missy Arcand, Laura Perazzola, Kate Coates, Hannah Bradley, Jessica Freeman.

Bottom Row: Jeff Dadisman, John Cochran, Jane Wooley, Julia Doolittle, Natalie Cortes, Ivey Miller, Katie Fennell.



♦ **Eighth grader John Cochran and Freshman Justin Schuchmann** arrive at a cross country meet and begin to stretch together, so that they are flexible and ready to win the race. Stretching is mandatory prior to each race to prevent injuries.



♦ **Sophomore Zack Dadisman** tries to gain the attention of Coach Hope in order to discuss his upcoming event. Although Zack was unable to attend all of the meets because of soccer he proved to be a very competitive runner with lots of spunk.

GOAL RUSH

Sophomore Jay Epps surveys the soccer field in preparation for the play. While receiving the ball, Jay can feel all eyes of the crowd watching him in anticipation.

Freshman Carl Garafalo jumps furiously for the ball while simultaneously fighting off an opposing player. Carl certainly proved that big things can come from small packages.



"Just another one for the board!" Sophomore

Zack Dadisman uses his awesome tech-

nique to score an-

other goal for

the Varsity Boys

Soccer Team in

an important

match against the

Tattnall Trojans. It was moments like these that helped

bring forth such a spectacular season for the Cavaliers. A lot

of hard work and dedication was put into this team by all

participants. They were a young team this year and had some

big shoes to fill. We are all proud of our boys.



Varsity Soccer Players Sean Coleman, Wes Nichols, Daniel Castresana and Jared Intaphan work together to block a free kick. In times like these good defense and team work are essentials to success.

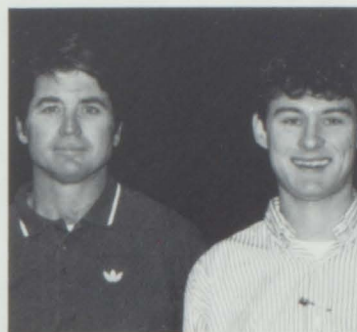


"Make a wish!" Sophomore Russ Ferreyra jumps for another header while the opposing team watches in envy of Russ's impressive skills. Russ, can make any opponent shake in their boots.

Freshman Wes Nichols struts his stuff as other players watch in wonder. Wes was one of the leading scorers on the team and never let us down. Scoring goals in soccer is no easy feat.



Senior Brooks Coates displays his exceptional footwork skills to fend off the opposing Tattnall team. Individual skills are very important in developing the player to his maximum potential.



Varsity Soccer Coaches
David Taylor and Vince Datillo pose proudly after the fall recognition assembly. The 1997 coaches are obliged to be in charge of this dedicated group.



"You can't catch me I'm the gingerbread man!" Sophomore Adam Koetter uses quick skills to dribble past a Heritage defender. His contributions led the Cavs to an outstanding 7-0 victory.



"We were a young team this year but I am happy with our improvement."
— Mathis Coxon

.....Scores.....

Deerfield	0-3
Northwood	5-0
Augusta	
Prep	2-1
Monroe	8-1
Lagrange	3-0
FPD	4-1
Central	
Fellowship	3-4
Arlington	3-0
St. Francis	3-2
Stratford	0-6
Tattnall	3-3
Oak	
Mountain	1-0
Heritage	7-0
Tattnall	2-4



Top: Coach Taylor, Mathis Coxon, Wes Nichols, Adam Koetter, Adam Ford, Brooks Coates, Paul Filush, Micheal Stramiello, Zack Dadisman, Nick Miklowski, Sean Coleman, Matt Ritter, Tim Hitchcock, Coach Dattillo. Bottom: Mgr. Kristen Kelley, Cam Snow, Matt Graycheck, Jay Epps, John McBrearty, Russ Ferreyra, Jared Intaphan, Andy Filush, Carl Garofalo, Daniel Castresana, Phillip Walkemeyer, Eden Taylor, Nick McClendon, Mgr. Connie Alman.

It's a SCREAM!!!

"Okay girls, lets get ready to get it HYPE!" Varsity cheerleaders do last minute preparations for the pep rally to cheer the players on.



Let's get ready to rumble!!! Senior cheerleading Captain Latonya McClendon gets the crowd and the players pumped up and ready to fight for victory.



Varsity Cheerleading Squad. Left to right: Carla Paschke, Krystle Stewart, Jennifer Puckett, Mandie Reynolds, Captains Latonya McLendon and Stephanie Parker, Amber Barham, Genevieve Olivier, Lindsay Mummert, Katie Thomaston.



"C'mon, just a little bit further. . . Alright! It's a touch down!" Varsity Cheerleaders watch the football game with great anticipation of a victory.



That a way to show your Cavalier Spirit Amber! Sophomore Amber Barham supports her class mates in an important region football game.

Twist and Shout

"We are just beginning!" The JV cheerleading squad "moves to the groove" to get the fans pumped up for the exciting game that is to come.

Skylar Stulls demonstrates her awesome jumping ability and great enthusiasm during a B-team football game. Thanks for all your hard work girls!



Junior Varsity Cheerleading Squad. Top Row: Sarah Harrison, Madho Adiga, Lindsay Richardson, Tana Nix. Middle Row: Elizabeth Mason, Lauran LaBlanc, Brittany Graham. Bottom Row: Anna Stiff, Skylar Stull.



"We've got the spirit! How 'bout you?!" Freshman Lauren LeBlanc questions the opposing team during a B-team basketball game at the Mount de Sales gym.

"Rock, rock steady!" The Junior Varsity cheerleading squad shows off their cheering abilities for the crowd. These girls show potential for future Varsity teams.

"Man this is hard work trying to get these kids pumped up!" Brittany Graham dutifully does her job of cheering, although it tends to be exhausting, during a pep rally.

Junior Michael Walton gets low and prepares to attack the basket using his unparalleled quickness and dribbling skills. He's spectacular when it comes to driving to the hoop and creating for the team.



The Tattnall defender is "slip slidin' away" as Sophomore Nick Richardson puts the move on him for an easy two-pointer. Although three-pointers seem to be Nick's specialty, he's good at layups too!

"Ole!" Junior Glenn Shelby pretends to be a bullfighter waving the flag in the face of his charging opponent. Unusual offensive tactics like these contributed to our GISA Boy's State Title.



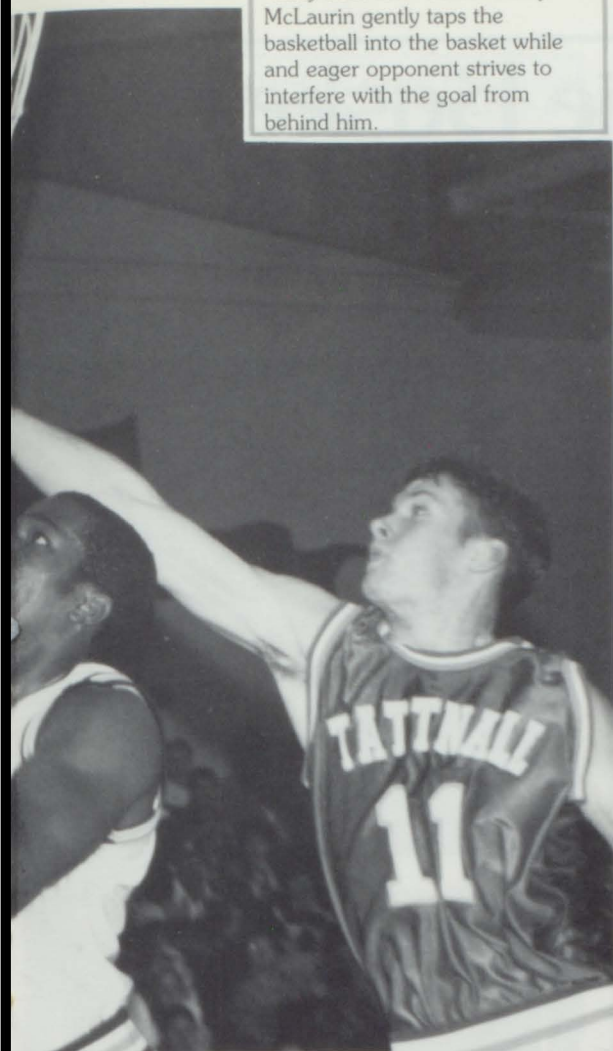
"I've only got two words. . . STATE CHAMPS!" - Jason Boney



From L to R: Coach Travis Brown, Andy Knight, David Schnell, Michael Walton, Justin Leslein, Nick Richardson, Brandon Geddis, Stefano Danese, Jonathan Akin, Kerry McLaurin, Edward Kendrick, Glenn Shelby, Vari Brown, Jason Boney, Carlos Denson, Coach Don Sherwood.

.....Scores.....		
Windsor	73-25	W
Aug. Chr.	52-65	L
FPD	50-54	L
Windsor	62-23	W
GA Chr.	65-53	W
Cen. Fel.	72-23	W
Monroe	76-58	W
Tattnall	57-46	W
Sherwood	83-36	W
Monroe	65-56	W
G. Walton	58-37	W
FPD	58-52	W
St. Francis	59-24	W
Stratford	66-35	W
Tattnall	64-55	W
Monroe	60-36	W
Windsor	66-36	W
G. Walton	55-52	W
St. Francis	44-23	W
Stratford	62-46	W
Tattnall	57-46	W
Monroe	55-35	W
Tattnall	51-54	L
Westmin.	69-44	W
Deer-Win.	62-47	W
Aug. Chr.	57-47	W

"Easy does it..." Senior Kerry McLaurin gently taps the basketball into the basket while and eager opponent strives to interfere with the goal from behind him.



"Wow, you are sooo tall!" Senior Edward Kendrick (6'4") cringes in fear of the mighty Tattnall defender while laughing to himself at the simplicity of his next basket. Edward's height is always an asset.

"Sure, Unsure?" The Cavalier Team may be smelling unfresh after one of the most grueling games of the season but we're all sure that the championship trophy is where it belongs!



Can't Stop the Reign

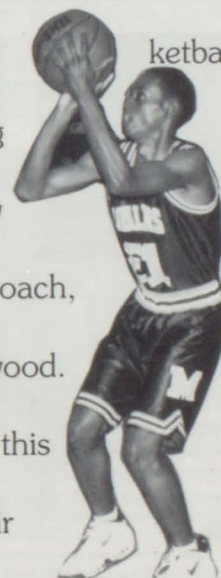


"Who says you gotta be tall to slam dunk?" Senior Carlos Denson stops in mid-air for a quick photo op. Anytime is a good time for Carlos to strike a pose.



"Do, Re, Mi, Fa, So, La, Ti, Do..." Coach Sherwood practices the voice exercises Mr.s. Washburn taught him so he can save his voice and continue his cheering in the second half.

Vari Brown positions himself for the shot to show his Cavalier "style." The Varsity Boys Basketball team had an outstanding season followed by an awesome coach, Don Sherwood.



boys started off strong and maintained this strength throughout the season. Because of their tremendous dedication and effort the guys brought home a State Championship.

"Fine, if you won't let me by I'll tunnel my way through you!" Freshman Kelly Wall shows her teammates how to maneuver the ball past her opponents.

Goodie Baskets



Sophomore Sarah Mead amazes her fans as she mixes charades and basketball together. Can you guess what awesome play she just completed?



Top Row: Coach Katherine Hatcher, Jennifer Leverett, Carrie DeLoach, Christina Leslein, Jennifer Van, Christina Price, Katie Leverett, Mgr. Laura Wood. Bottom Row: Jamelle Hill, Sarah Mead, Melissa Rosa, Francis Layfield, Ninita McKan.



Christina Leslein grips the ball tightly to avoid losing possession to a sneaky opponent directly behind her. Her offensive skills are an asset in all situations.

"I'm only a hop, skip, and a jump from the basket so clear a path!" Christina Price hopes she can maintain composure and give the Cavs another two points.



"If I could REACH, higher!" With music by Gloria Estefan ringing in her ears, sophomore Katie Welsh grabs the rebound and regains Cavalier possession.



A Stratford opponent makes yet another futile attempt to stop the Cavaliers but Sophomore Matt McBride is skillfully able to complete a very tough shot.



Rebound and Determined



"Oh, this is just my "lost in space" face to fool my unsuspecting opponents" says Freshman Ren Stanley as he razzles and dazzles his confused opponents.



"He's mean, he's lean, he's...Partick!" Freshman Patrick Cassidy focuses his attention upon the basket and drives past his opponents as if they were not there.



Top Row: Mgr. Lindsey Gaskins, Matt McBride, Carlton McMillan, Brandon Geddis, Pierce Hale, Patrick Cassidy, Ren Stanley, John Paul Shelby, Coach Slocum. Btm. Row: Chad Stefano, Rick Dews, Andy Knight, J.B. Trentadue, Brian Slocum, Rashad Tharpe..



It's back-to-back trouble for the opposing team as Freshman Brandon Geddis and Sophomore Pierce Hale combine their superior rebounding skills.

Courtly Love

"Zoom" is all that the Tattnell defender can hear as Freshman Kelly Wall maneuvers around her with lightening-quick speed. Kelly has a great ability to slice through her defenders and score points.

Coach Hatcher gives her team a motivating pep talk during a crucial moment in the game. Although the players are tired, their will and determination continue to remain strong.



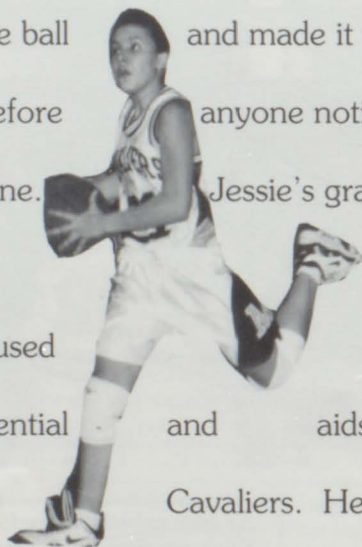
Senior Betsy Washburn combines her upper body strength with quick thinking to score over her opponent. Betsy's extensive knowledge of the game helped her to be the leading scorer.



"3,2,1, and we have liftoff ladies and gentleman!" Freshman Jessie Rosa has stolen the ball and made it to the basket before anyone notices that she is gone.

Jessie's graceful yet quick stride is used to its

max potential and aids her in scoring another lay-up for the Lady Cavaliers. Her form and technique is a perfect model for all to learn from and practice.



"Is there something on my back?" questions Sophomore Jennifer Van who seems quite unaffected by the hopeless attempts of her persistent opponent. Jennifer is about to reveal another spectacular pass.



Ring up another two points for the Lady Cavaliers because when Senior Cristy Burress fires a shot it's sure to go in. She not only has superb form but also the patience to wait for the best shot possible.



Junior Sara Hill transforms into a brick wall as her opponent attempts to knock her down. Sarah's offensive game is as solid as her defense and her skills come crumbling down on her opponents



"Ready, Aim, Fire!!!" Junior Michelle Craig focuses in on her target, pulls back, and prepares to shoot down another two points for the Cavs. Michelle's accurate aim makes her a sharp shooter.



"If I get down low maybe they won't see me" Senior Kendall Wall rips down a rebound for her excited teammates and utilizes her hawk-like vision to quickly spot the point guard to initiate a fast break.



"I had a lot of fun. I'm really gonna miss this!" - Cristy Burress

.....Scores.....

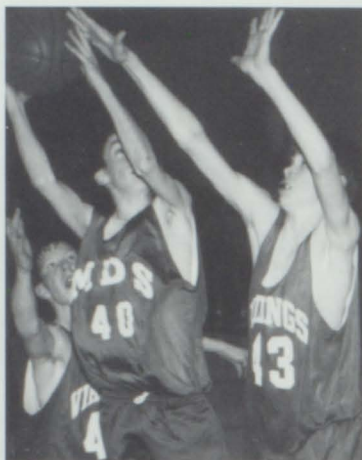
Windsor	58-71
Southland	53-67
Windsor	45-59
Aug. Chr.	55-46
FPD	40-61
Windsor	42-17
Cen. Fel.	55-18
Windsor	42-55
Tattanall	57-41
Sherwood	45-29
Monroe	54-67
G. Walton	56-45
FPD	41-56
St. Francis	37-34
Stratford	36-53
Tattanall	49-51
Monroe	35-48
Windsor	41-48
G. Walton	54-56
St. Francis	35-23
Stratford	35-49
Tattall	44-27
G. Walton	46-57
Monroe	59-51
Athens Chr.	59-52
Windsor	39-53



Standing (From L to R): Coach Katherine Hatcher, Sarah Mead, Jennifer Van, Sara Hill, Michelle Craig, Kendall Wall, Cristy Burress, Trish Yarbrough, Melita Kabashi, Betsy Washburn, Katie Welsh, Christina Leslein, Kelly Wall, Christina Price, Jessie Rosa, Coach Lynn Hatcher. Kneeling: Mgrs. Franklin Mack, Brooks Coates.

People's Court

Eighth grader Andy Blum exhibits his awesome vertical in hopes of making the layup shot. It's basic skills like his that make the beginnings of an up coming star.



The B-team's secret weapon from St. Peter Claver, Carlton McMillan, believes the sky is the limit. With talent like this the future of basketball is very promising.



Top Row: Andy Blum, Virgil Watkins, Lee Matthews, Carlton McMillan, Scott Hatcher, Ben Pierce, Jonathan Koetter. Bottom Row: Katherine Whittington, Nick Dermatas, Jeff Dadisman, Michael Slonaker, Brandt Orr, Justin Banks, Reggie Johnson, Katie Fennell.



Coach Ken Garvin looks with anticipation at his young team. The team huddles together for a pep talk and some last minute review before an important game.

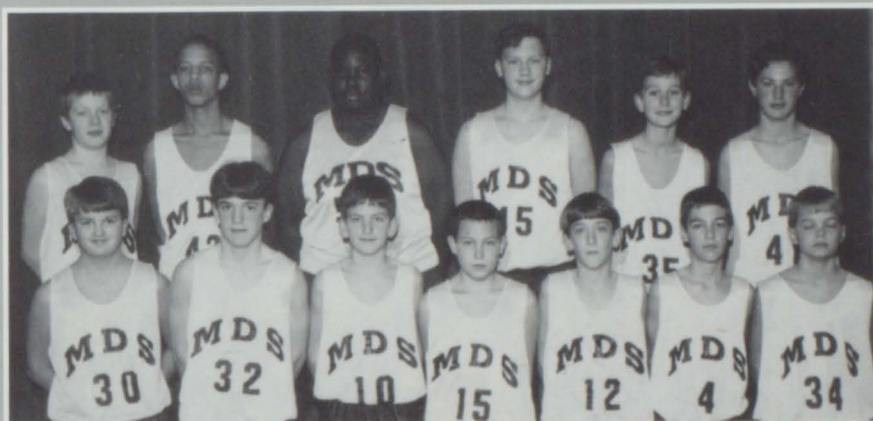


Point guard Scott Hatcher shoots the basketball for an easy two points over the opposing team. Scott's personal determination was a great help to the team.

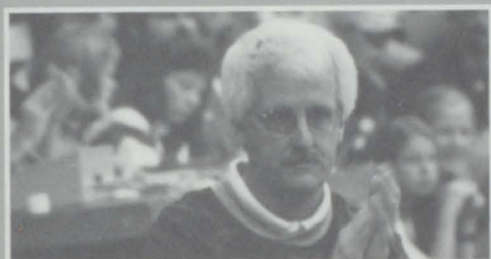
Bouncing Back

William Nicholson, a seventh grader, listens closely to Coach Pierce before a big C- team game. Having a good strategy and executing it properly is vital.

Seventh grader Zack Benson watches as his teammate, Franklin Smith, gracefully catches air for an easy layup. Gotta admire that nearly perfected form!!!



Top Row: Sam Meadows, N/A, N/A, John Pinkston, William Nicholson, Rocky Rodgers.
Bottom Row: Zack Benson, Franklin Smith, Seth Story, Drew Edwards, Jason Spice, Jesse Mielarczyk, Dusty Blessett.



Franklin Smith positions himself on the court in preparation for a jump shot in hopes of raising the Cavalier score in an action-packed seventh grade game.

Steven Hollis takes a shot on goal and is fouled by one of the FPD Viking opponents. Having a good shot percentage is the key to any successful offense.

Rocky Rodgers uses his intriguing skills to maneuver to the basket. Rocky is a prime example of "Cavalier pride." He is great at maintaining his composure.

"We want a win!" The Mound de Sales C-Team Cheerleading squad combine their Cavalier spirit to pump up the crowd during halftime.

Jumpin' for Joy



Middle school students Elizabeth Meriweather, Catherine Leverette, and Audra Nessing smile for the camera while performing a stunt for the fans.



C- Team Cheerleading Squad. Top Row: Audra Nessing, Jessica Freeman, Alissa Stramiello, Kimberly Kelsy, Elizabeth Meriweather. Bottom: Kimberley Rockmore, Tala Katner, Brooklyn Punziano, Sara Suchower, Catherine Leverette.



"I say number, YOU say 1!" Cheerleader Jessica Freeman has developed her vocal skills as well as learned new cheers this year.

Middle Schooler Kimberly Kelsy gets the crowd involved in the MDS basketball game. With the cheerleaders help, another Cavalier win is secured.



"Be careful Catherine, DON'T FALL!" Middle Schooler Catherine Leverette and Sara Suchower excite the MDS crowd and give support to their team.



Middle Schooler Kristin Taylor shoots for another 2 points in the intense game against Westside. The Cavs would eventually roll on to another victory.



Frances Layfield touches up her Shaquille O'Neal impression at the opportune time with a large audience and a great chance to score.

Hoop and Holler



Eighth Grader Katie Coates cleverly eludes her defenders to score another basket. The defenders hold their hands up in utter amazement at Katie's moves.



Top:Katie Leverett,Kimberly Thomas,Sarah DeLoach,Emily Pittard,Jennifer Leverett. Middle:Coach Tammy Hope,Katie Coates,Kristin Bryant,Kristin Taylor,Frances Layfield, Mgr.Charley Oxley.Btm:Brittany Hartley,Gina Trentadue, Katie Hatcher, Audra Nessing.



"Give me the ball!!" Eighth grader Katie Leverett tries with all her might to wrestle the ball away from the FPD defenders. Her aggressive tactics are an asset.

ONE TRACK MIND

"They're not going to catch him!" Senior Carl Perazzola dashes ahead of all the other competitors in the 4 by 4 relay. The team went on to state.



4th: Coach Turner, Coach Hope, Lizek, Hale, Snow, Akin, Ducote, Coach Schindler, Coach Garvin. 3rd: Coach Garvin, Bundrage, Caufield, Dadison, McBrearty, Collins, Crawford, Carrigan, Howard, Coach Timms. 2nd: Katner, Miklowski, Summers, Mack, Sams, Wesley, Davis, McBride, Berndt. 1st: Oppy, Canady, Washburn, Williams, McLaurin, Perazzola, Wisdom, Bell.



"One leg over, one more to go!" David Berndt, a senior, Chris Carrigan, a junior, leap their way to the finish line in route to a first place finish in hurdles.



"Push it, push it, just a little further!" Senior co-captain Marq Sams strides his way past the other sprinters in one of the toughest races, the 100 m dash.

BEST FEET FORWARD

Freshman Lindsey Gaskins, with Cavalier Pride in her heart, uses all her strength to leap over the hurdles and take the lead over her Monroe opponents.

"Put in my hand!" Senior Fareeda McClinton begins to take off on an enduring run as freshman Jennifer Nelson hands her the baton. What team work!



3rd: Coach Garvin, Coach Hope, Tidmore, Olivier, Crawford, Bently, Stanley, Rosa, Coach Garvin.
2nd: Coach Timms, McMillan (Mgr.), Carswell, Katner, Sewell, Nelson, Huntsinger, Gaskins, Coach Schindler. 1st: Williams, Spradley, Walters, McCann, McClinton, Clark, Tamboli, Harrington.



"Just another jog in the park." Junior Jamie Crawford continues to pass the opponents with little effort. A lot will be expected of Jamie in the future for MDS.

"Christina may appear calm but her mind is working overtime!" Senior Christina Clark concentrates on her run and pulls out a great finish for the lady Cavs.

Eighth grader Lydia Sewell flies through the air for an amazing jump. With jumps like that, Lydia will soon be a state champion contender in the triple jump.

"Concentrate!" Junior Thomas Annandale focuses intently on the ball and waits patiently for the perfect moment to swing. Just don't forget to breathe Thomas!

PLAYING WITH MATCHES



"Ace!" Airborn Senior Brooks Coates uses all of his might to slam the ball into his opponents side of the court. Kinda' reminds you of Andre Agassi, doesn't he?



Varsity Boys Tennis Team from left to right: Chris Carrigan, Brooks Coates, Thomas Annandale, Carl Garofolo, Timothy O' Mahoney. Bottom: Chris Lockwood, Jason Glow, Phillip Walkemeyer, Stefano Danese and Coach Midkiff (not pictured).



"Let's TANGO!" Thomas Annandale, a junior, shakes his hips and does a jig to the beat of the ball bouncing from one side of the court to the other.



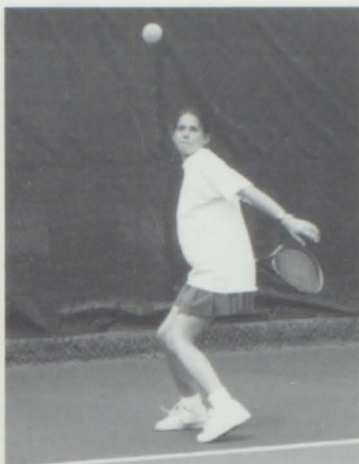
"POW! BANG! ZAP!" 8th grader Jason Glow uses his super powers to hit the tennis ball over the net and save the game, yet one more time!

"Ha! See if you can handle this!" Freshman Phillip Walkemeyer shows great enthusiasm as he returns the serve just knowing how lethal he is on the court.



Gripping the racket tightly with both hands, Senior Beth Bollinger is ready to take control of the match and send the ball past her unsuspecting opponent.

SERVICE WITH A SMILE



Senior Tiffany Domingos stares intently at the little yellow ball. Concentration is the key to being ready for any return the opponent tries.



Girls Varsity Tennis Team from left to right, top row: Madhu Adiga, Mary Beth Meadows, Beth Bollinger, Maria Sanchez, Tiffany Domingos, Emily Dessem. Bottom: Shelby Smith, Kristin Williamson, Molly Hefner, Skylar Stull, and Coach Midkiff (not pictured).



8th grader Kristin Williamson eagerly waits for the judges ruling on her last hit while envisioning a region plaque on her wall at home.



"The future's so bright I gotta wear shades!" Senior Mary Beth Meadows warms up her forehand and contemplates her strategy for the upcoming match.

SWING INTO ACTION

"Okay, just a little tap and I'm out of trouble." Luckily 8th grader Andy Blum does a good job of getting out of the bunker because on the fairway he's untouchable.



Varsity Golf Team from left to right: Coach Randy Davis, Andy Blum, Ryan Wade, Andrew Noller, Justin Leslein, Matt McBride.



"The amazing Justin can keep the golf ball floating in mid-air by wit and charm alone." Senior Justin Leslein has added a new dimension to the MDS golf team.



Senior Andrew Noller imitates his role model, Tiger Woods, in performing a perfect birdie putt that will put him in the lead.

ACES IN EVERY SUIT

"Splish, splash, she was takin' a swim" A Mds swimmer frolics in the water creating her own personal tsunami.

A Mds team member "hangs loose" before hearing the beep to begin his gallant race to the finish line. One's diving technique is an essential part of the race.



Top to bottom: C.Burch, E.Dessem, L.Dessem, J.Jaudon, M.Hodler, D.Schnell, C.Elliot, J.Norfleet, E.Andrews, J.D'Cote, K.Wright, K.Tidmore, M.Bentley, R.Watts, L.Richardson, E.Knott, S.Harmon, C.Blum, B.Hartley, K.Haney, B.Kersey, W.Misch, N.Haney, B.Hartley, K.Horst, M.B.Kusey, A.Ellis, T.Baumann, K.Wright, N.Nwosu, S.Meadows, C.Ryles, B.Dadisman, N/A, A.Stiff, M.J.Staples, N.Andrews, L.Wilhelm, C.Oxley, L.Conway, C.Beall, C.Leveritt.



Various members of the Cavalier swim team are prepared to race with razor like strokes. It was talent like this that won them the state championship.

This MDS Cavalier stares down into the pool as if there was a treasure awaiting her at the bottom. With great concentration she's sure to be a real contributor.

MDS Cavaliers gaze out into the open waters in awe. Just looking at the length of the pool and seeing just how far they swam is enough to earn admiration.

"OK, I'm ready now." Senior Jon Howard adjusts his jersey as he waits to hit one out of the park. This was a big game against their toughest rival, Tattnell.

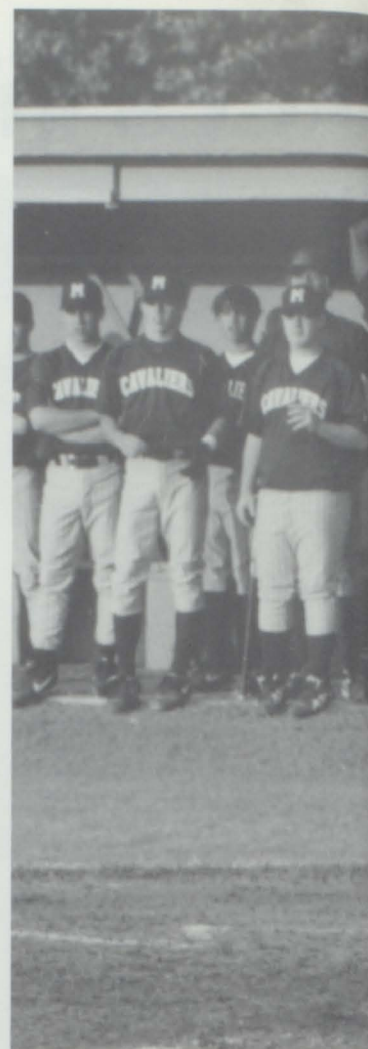


"Sugar Rush!" Juniors Tim Finney and Luke Knight look like they might explode at any second as they watch the game from the bench.

"TEAM!" MDS's Cavaliers form a huddle on the mound to get psyched up before a big game. Can't you just feel the energy!?



"We started out slowly but after a few games we really picked it up, and I'm proud of my team." - Kevin Balkcom



Top Row from left to right: Coach Chester Pierce, Nick Richardson, Jon Howard, Edward Kendrick, Brandon Renfroe, Kevin Balkcom, Coach Tony Pierce. Middle Row: Rob Chandler, Adam Koetter, Chris Vance, Zack Dadismon, Luke Knight, Britton Lockhart. Bottom Row: Brannen Dodd, Nick McClendon, Andy Knight, Tim Finney, Will Herfner, Matt Greycheck.

.....Scores.....	
Stratford	1-9
Windsor	12-2
FPD	1-11
FPD	13-7
FPD	4-16
Windsor	12-0
John Milledge	11-2
George Walton	6-1
Stratford	10-2
Sherwood	
Christian	11-8
Monroe	8-2
Tattnell	0-10
Windsor	17-5
St. Francis	6-1
St. Francis	11-0
Tattnell	6-9
George Walton	9-5
Monroe	11-1
John Milledge	8-0
Deerfield	
Windsor	6-9

TOP OF THE LEAGUE

"Hit one out!" The entire MDS varsity baseball team is standing in the dugout to support sophomore Adam Koetter while he is at bat in an important region game



"I'll teach you not to slide!" Senior Britton Lockhart makes a vicious tag as a daring base runner slides into third. Little does he know he will be tagged out at third.

"Shoot that peel Zack!" Sophomore Zack Dadisman positions himself to thought yet another strike against the opposing team.

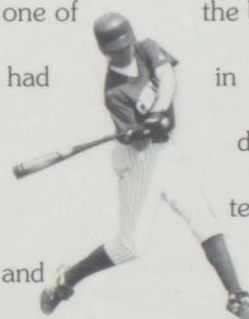


"Vogue!" Senior catcher Kevin Balkcom strikes a pose while his team is at bat. That poised face of concentration can only belong to a truly dedicated player as Kevin.



Chris Vance, a senior, sacrifices his body to stop a speeding grounder on its way to right field. Baseball requires many such sacrifices and skills.

Caught in action, sophomore Nick Richardson swings for another homerun to contribute to the leading batting average of the team. This season the Cavaliers had one of the best records they have had in years. The hard work and dedication that the team put into their season and into



their games resulted in such a success. In addition to the success of the team, the head coach, Coach Chester Pierce, added to the enjoyment of this season by accomplishing over 350 wins for his coaching career.

CATCH OF THE DAY

"Right, left, right, and kick!" Freshman Jamie Cribb decides to polish up on her tango steps with an opposing FPD player during an exciting match.



"They're not stopping me now!" Kasey Smith, a forward, dribbles through the opposing defense. Kasey was a key factor on the Cavalier offense.



JV soccer team, top row: Coach O'Brien, Coach Filush, A.Filush, K.Klingelhofer, F.Layfield, K.Smith, S.Harrison, A.Stramiello, K.Taylor, E.Pittard, Coach Smith, B.Graham. Middle: P.Raines, A.Ferrara, J.Cribb, D.Davis, K.Wall, M.C.Smith, J.Freeman, A.Barham. Bottom: I.Miller, G. Ragonetti, G.Olivier, S. Appling, B.Burkhalter, K.Fennell, N.Cortes, B.Vance.



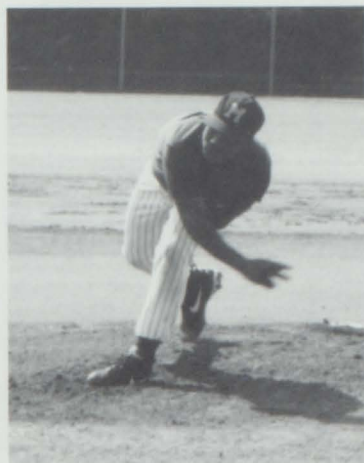
B-Team soccer team, top row: A.Filush, Coach Filush, K.Klingelhofer, F.Layfield, E.Pittard, K.Taylor, S.Harrison, T.Cooke, P.Raines. Middle: M. Castresana, S.Appling, B.Punziano, K.Hatcher, L.Patch, K.Marshall, J.Freeman, J.Robertson. Bottom: J.Cribb, I.Miller, G.Ragonetti, K.Fennell, S.Suchower, R.Stiff, B.Hartley.



"Keep your eyes on the ball!" Freshman Sarah Harrison takes part in a pre-game warm-up drill called juggling. It takes great skill to master this technique.

"Hit it where they aren't!" Freshman John Paul Shelby connects with the baseball with great accuracy to gain a base hit for the team.

USING OUR HEADS



"Three up. . . three down." Nick McClendon struggles to keep his balance after pitching in another speeding bullet to get yet another player out.



Top: Coach Brown, John Paul Shelby, Michael Grimsley, Mike Flanders, Ren Stanley, Chad Stefano, Matthew Gay, Rashad Tharpe. Bottom: Scott Hatcher, Nick McClendon, Brandt Orr, Nick Dermatas, Jonathan Koetter, Shane Stokes, Spencer Stull.



"Just look at that form!" Freshman Chad Stefano uses his awesome ability to throw the ball to homeplate in hopes of preventing a run being scored.



"That's the way to get down in the dirt!" Scott Hatcher, an 8th grader, scores the game winning run while his opponent is left standing in the dust.

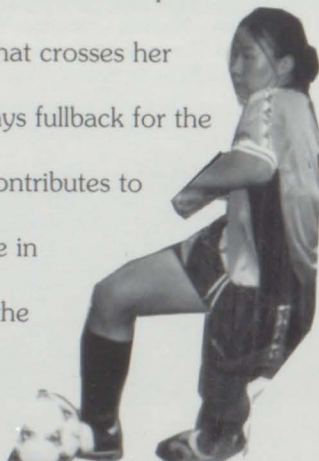
THE "GOAL" DEN GIRLS

"Think you can get this ball? Yeah right!" Senior Patty Bieger challenges an opposing Stratford player for the ball. Out of all the skills in soccer, heading the ball is one of the hardest to master.

A team that prays together wins together and the MDS Cavs are no exception to the rule. The girls take time out to get serious before taking the field.



Sophomore Jennifer Van uses her awesome cut moves to maneuver past any opponent that crosses her path. Jennifer plays fullback for the varsity team and contributes to the best defense in GISA. Defense is the key part of all sports teams and what



Sophomore Kelly O'Brien skillfully places the ball on the field to help the Cavalier offense. Form and power are essential and Kelly is a prime example of both.



Rebecca Raffield, a sophomore defender, gives her team hi-five as she prepares to get out on the field. Defense is her home and when in action she is unstoppable.

wins the game. The Girls Varsity Soccer Team was a great success and is predicted to be one of the best in the state next year. Good luck girls and thanks for such a great season.

Sophomore Erica Arena even amazes herself when she utilizes her fancy footwork to elude her opponents. It takes a lot of practice to do what she does and to make it look so effortless.



"I'm open, pass the ball!" Kelly Wall, midfielder, makes a run down the field in anticipation of a pass. Kelly is great at working the ball down the field and a lot will be expected of her next year.



Laura "The Kamikaze" Perazzola looks cute while warming up but its a different story on the field. She strikes fear in her opponents and is a tremendous help to the defensive team.



Freshman Jessie Rosa fires a canon towards the opposing teams helpless goalie. The other team stares in amazement hoping that maybe...just maybe she'll miss this shot.



"I really enjoyed this year's team. We had a good time and worked hard too. I love those girls."
- Johnny Lamb

Arlington	5-0
Brookwood	3-0
LaGrange	2-0
Deerfield	4-0
St. Francis	3-0
Monroe	6-0
FPD	0-2
Augusta Prep	6-0
Oak Mountain	5-0
Monroe	2-0
Stratford	0-0
Tattnall	1-0
St. Francis	5-0
Weatminster	1-0
Heritage	0-1
Tattnall	0-1
Central	
Fellowship	6-0

.....State Playoffs.....	
FPD	2-0
Stratford	1-3
Frederica	3-1



Top: Claire Katner, Coach O'Brien, Jay Epps, Kelly Wall, Kasey Smith, Sarah Harrison, Patty Bieger, Rachael Patch, Jennifer Van, Amber Barham, Sean Coleman, Nick Ewing, Coach Filush, Coach Smith, Phillip Raines, Dyana Davis, Mary Catherine Smith, Kelly O'Brien, Melita Kabashi, Erica Arena, Jessie Rosa, Laura Perazzola, Johnny Lamb, Andy Filush, Katy Coates, Natalie Cortes, Rebecca Raffield, Beth Vance, Kay Chow, Genvieve Olivier, Alicia Stramiello.

Call us *Dream* Weavers

RED ALERT! It's the senior class of **1998!** This year, the leaders of the school really displayed their *abilities* through various clubs, positions of leadership, programs and competitions. The **SENIORS** participated in two different retreats: one in the *fall* to get to know each other and one in the spring to say **good-bye**. Best of all, the seniors learned to **grow** together and "with a little help from their *friends*" they created a memorable last year at *Mount de Sales*. They take from MdS the knowledge and **strength** of character that will help them fulfill their **dreams**.

♦ "Quick! Carlos look! That person is taking a PICTURE of us. Give them a smile." Seniors Carlos Denson and Jason Boney are "caught" at a pep assembly. Seniors are the best and they always rule in the school spirit department.

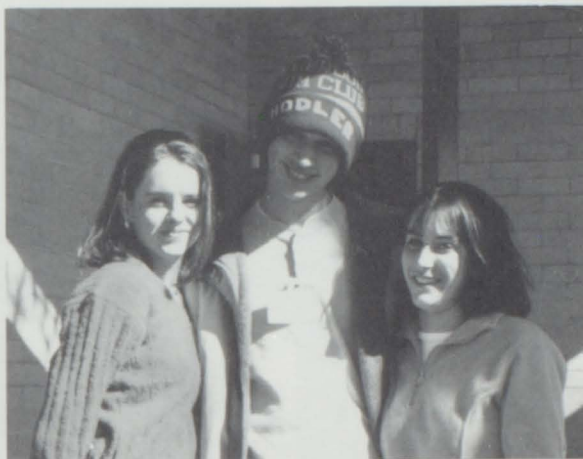


♦ "How can you resist these beautiful SMILES and these lovely faces?" Seniors Megan Floyd and Tiffany Domingos stop for a moment after the annual candlelight carol service to let us know how great it is to finally be a senior.



♦ "How sweet!" Seniors Lesley Anne Jordan, Patty Bieger, and Amanda Evans take a break from a typically busy day to give Mrs. Boone a hug in appreciation for all her hard work. Teachers need HUGS too you know!

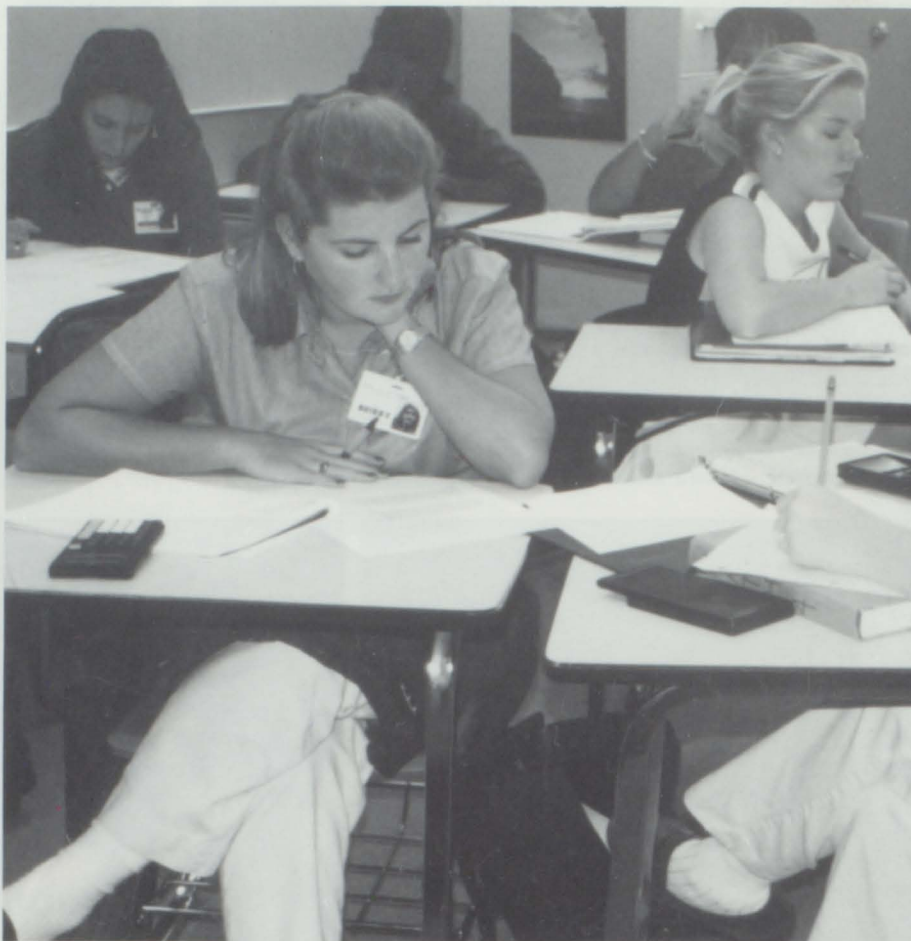
♦ "Wearing this GOOFY swim club hat seems to be paying off quite nicely." Seniors Angie Cook, Ben Hale, and Corlee Blum reveal the lighter side of being a senior at MDS. Friendship is what it is all about!



♦ "Here is a toast to a great Senior year." Senior Teddy Katner looks forward to an UNFORGETTABLE and beneficial senior year. He also appreciates an out of dress code day. Seniors never get too old for that.

♦ "I can't believe you are giving us a test on Friday. Haven't you read about the plight of being a senior?" Senior class member Justin Leslein gets another opportunity to perfect his TIME management skills.

♦ **"I love you and I am proud of you."** Kristin Kelly's mom congratulates her daughter.



♦ **"Reach for the stars."** Catherine Stroupe tells the future graduates during the Mass.



♦ **"Live long and prosper."** signs the class of ninety-eight to future graduates of MDS.

♦ **"It's about time!"** Jeff Strickland proudly wears his senior shirt. Thank God for this day!

Senior Madness

♦ "... And the lovely couple is.." Thomas Williamson and his date stroll down the leadout ramp.



♦ "If you add 5 ..." Seniors work in groups to understand the math problems.



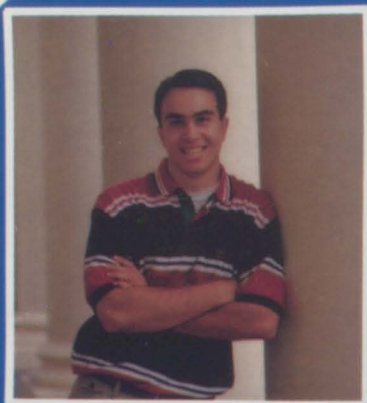
♦ "Round 'em up, cowboy" Whitney Wimberly ties up Mathis Coxon during the Homecoming rodeo.



♦ "Boy that was so funny!" Robert Zimmerman, Matt Defore, and Adam Scott joke around.



♦ "Make new friends!" Mia Armstrong, Brooke Stone, Melita Kabashi, and GiGi Denson smile.



Thomas Jefferson Bell



Mia Nicole Armstrong



Kevin Wade Balkom



William Leroy Barrineanu IV



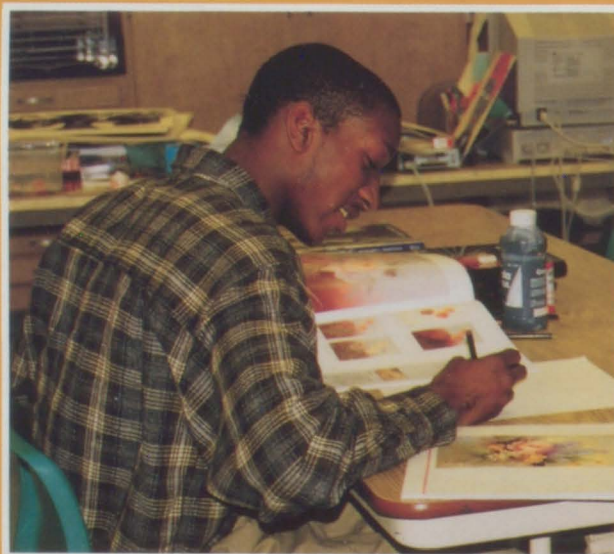
David Michael Berndt



Reva Patricia Bieger



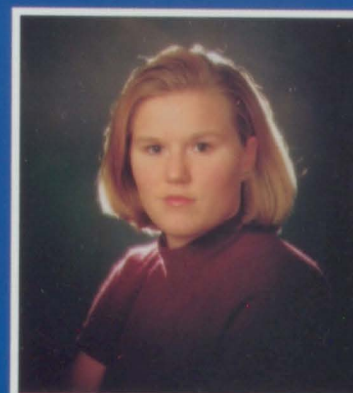
DaVonne LaRice Bivins



"A pretty picture!" Marq Sams gets creative in his art class. It isn't just an elective; it's a chance to express yourself!



Corlee Anna Blum



Beth Jane Bollinger



Jason Scott Boney



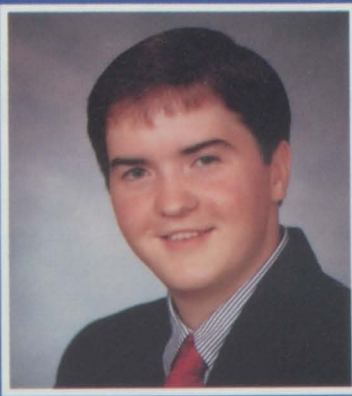
Tabitha Andrea Burney



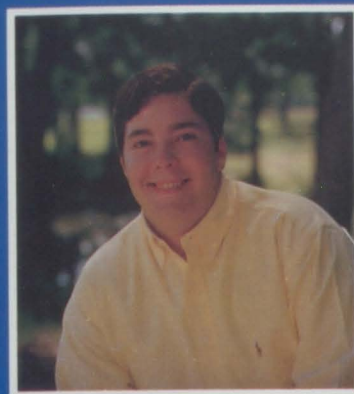
Cristina Maria Burress



LaKeesa Shawntia Butler



Chad Daniel Cavender



Philip Montgomery Cheshire



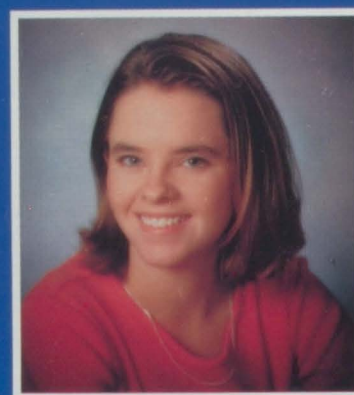
Katy Chow



Christina Kelly Clark



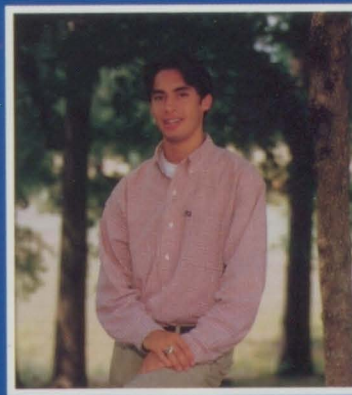
Elizabeth Claire Chapman



Angie Marie Cook



Barbara Lorraine Copeland



Mathis David Coxon



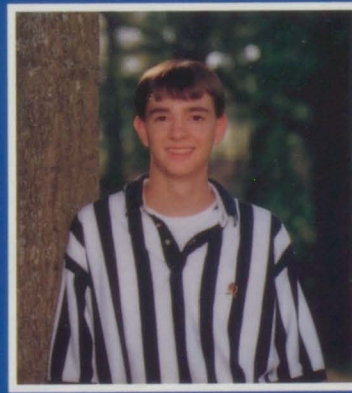
Randall Brooks Coates



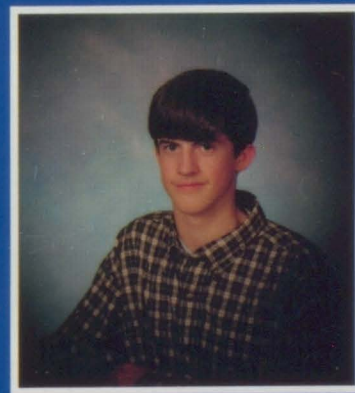
Darci Teresa Davidson



Dawn Danielle Davis



Eric Parker Davis



James Lee Crawford

A Time of Reflection

◆ Senior Brinda Ramaiya helps to fill St. Joseph's church with light as parents and other members of the community enjoy the Christmas program.

◆ An awe-struck Beth Bollinger precedes fellow seniors Whitney Wimberly and Barbara Copeland as they enter the festive church.



◆ Tiffany Domingos reads the Christmas story to the congregation during the beautiful service at the church.

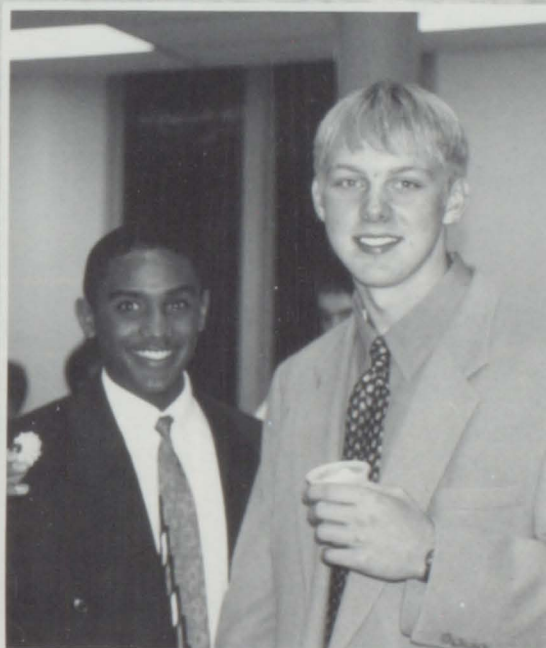
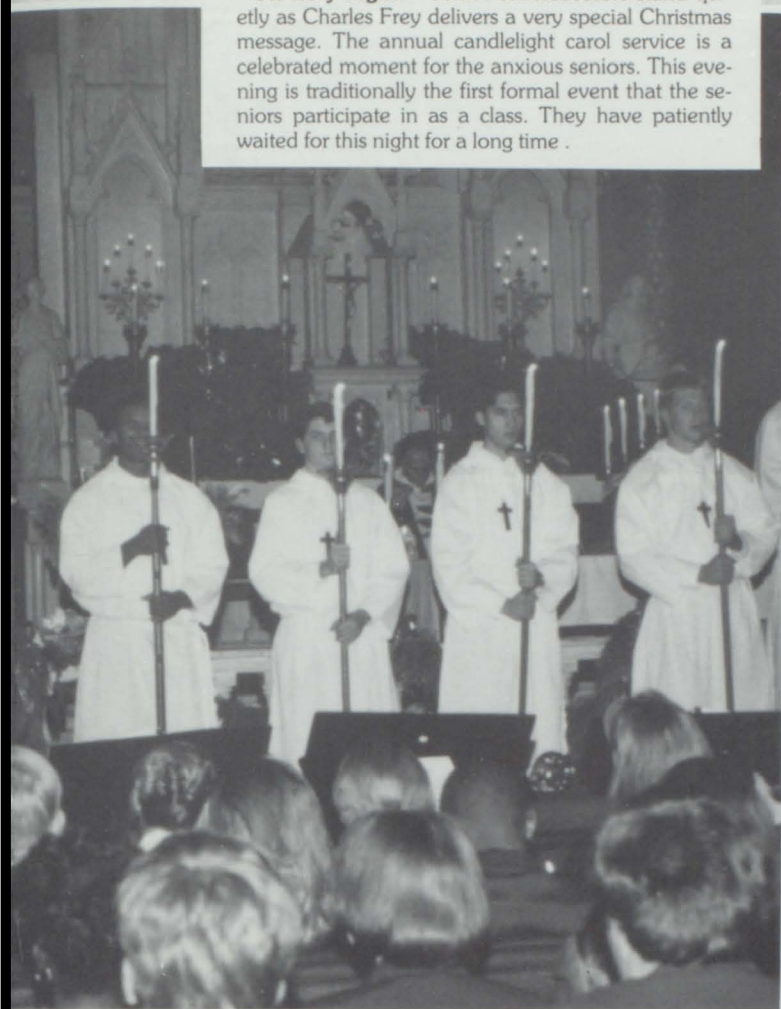


◆ Senior Kerry McLaurin steadily carries the large cross down the aisle as he leads the excited senior acolytes during the candlelight carol service at St. Joseph's church.



"Oh holy night!" Senior candlebearers stand quietly as Charles Frey delivers a very special Christmas message. The annual candlelight carol service is a celebrated moment for the anxious seniors. This evening is traditionally the first formal event that the seniors participate in as a class. They have patiently waited for this night for a long time.

♦ **"Get ready. It's almost time to go!"** Senior girls Latonya McLendon, Christina Clark, Mia Armstrong, and Gigi Denson show off their big beautiful smiles before the candlelight carol service. They are really excited about the upcoming program.



"Tough day boys? Just sit down and relax a while." Seniors Charles Frey, Lee Barrineau, Eddie McBride, and Lance Lyde take a moment to regain their energy from the senior lead in. There's still half a school year to go...hang in there guys!

"Tasty snacks guys?" Carlos Denson and Kevin Balkom prove that you can have your cake and eat it too. These senior guys were ready to eat the delicious snacks that were provided for them to enjoy after the candlelight carol service.

Senior Memories ...

"Candlelight is a time when the school comes together to celebrate the birth of Jesus. I especially liked the atmosphere of the church when the candles were lit."
— Darci Davidson

"It was pretty in St. Joseph's and I enjoyed singing in the choir loft for the first time. The view was really spectacular."
— Catherine Stroupe



Lindsay Elisabeth Dessem



Megan Rose Floyd



Charles William Frey



Matthew Wright DeFore



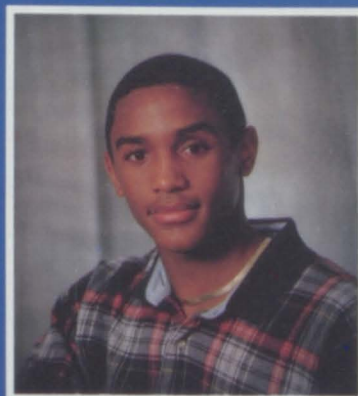
Tiffany Nichole Domingos



Adam Scott Ford



David Robert Furtney Jr.



Carlos Fernandez Denson



Helen Amanda Evans



Jesse Michael Fortson



Benjamin Darity Hale



Gevonka Jacquette Denson



Paul James Filush



Caren Dellavie Frank



Caitlin Lagarde Hickey



Matthew Ross Hodler



Jon Christopher Howard



Lesley Anne Jordan



Melita Kabashi



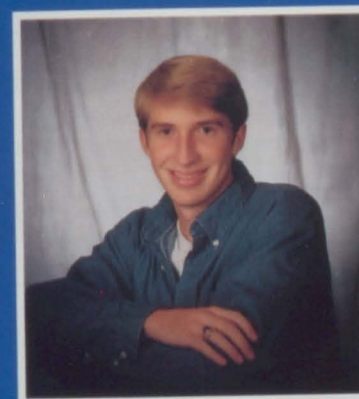
Theodore Lawrence Katner



Kristen Cathleen Kelley



Edward Kendrick III



George Paul Kirkland



Jason Edward Koch



Michael Steven Kusar



Johnny Nicole Lamb



"Speak Out!" Erica Tally leads the Catholic Schools Week program. It was a time to appreciate MDS and its history of excellence.

Bonding Together

♦ **"You are so crazy, Philip ..."** Lesley Anne Jordan enjoys one of Philip Cheshire's jokes during a group session.

♦ **"You are my sunshine. Please don't take my sunshine away."** Amanda Evans and Sam Singer share a friendly hug.



♦ **"Easy now, e-easy now."** Chad Cavendar gives James Crawford an *uneasy* look as the egg is passed during the relay.

♦ **"Touch somebody's hand ..."** Carrie Pierce places her paper hand among those of her classmates on the friendship circle.

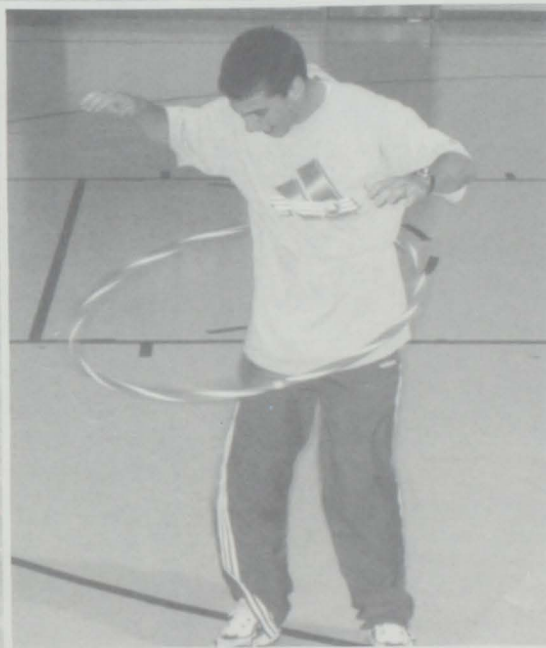
"Yumm. This pizza is the best!" Katy Chow comments on the fantastic lunch as she talks to her friends at the retreat.



♦ **"Aren't we lovely?"** A group of friends pose for a picture that is bound to be worth thousands ... One day!!



♦ **"We have had many fun times together."** Narreinar Williams and Darci Davidson happily recount all their memories.



♦ **"I can spin it around my neck too."** Jon Howard shows his hula hoop skills to the senior cheering class.

Senior Memories

"Senior Retreat was a time for us to not only evaluate ourselves personally, but to look at our different relationships with each other. It was a time for bonding and a time to express exactly how we feel." — Trysha Stephens

"I really enjoyed the retreats this year. I feel that we will never forget this experience." — Terese McGee



Jean Marjorie Logan



Justin Earl Leslein



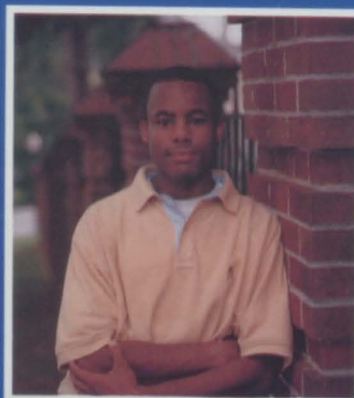
Andrew Len Lizek



Britton Charles Lockhart



Wesley Lance Lyde



Franklin Dartanian Mack



Deborah Alexis Mason



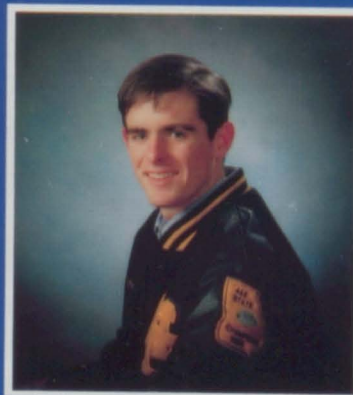
"Ding Dong!" Stephanie Wilson and Fareeda McClinton are handbell ringers. At Christmas they delight audiences with sweet songs.



Dennis Katabalwa Matovu



Michael Vincent Mazza



John Edwin McBride



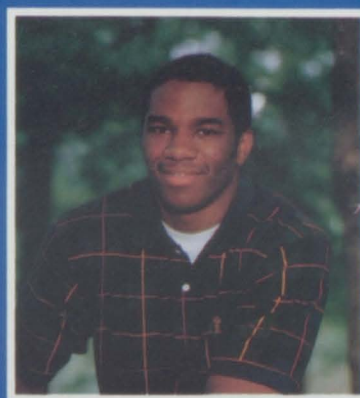
Latonya Nicole McClendon



Fareeda Genise McClinton



Terese Lynette McGee



Kerry O'Neal McLaurin



Adrienne Monica McMillan



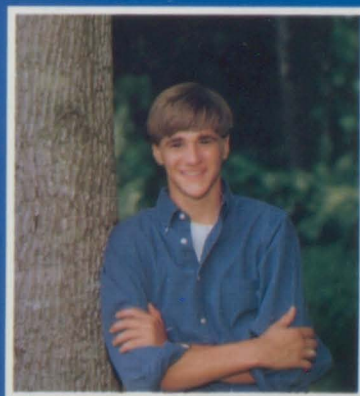
Mary Elizabeth Meadows



Rebecca Ann Merschat



Lindsay Lauren Misch



Andrew Stephen Noller



Stephanie Alison Parker



Carl Samson Perazzola



Carrie Elizabeth Pierce



Armond Jamal Power



Brinda Kumar Ramaiya



Kimberly Cobb Rankin



Lisa Anne Reeves

Take a Bow

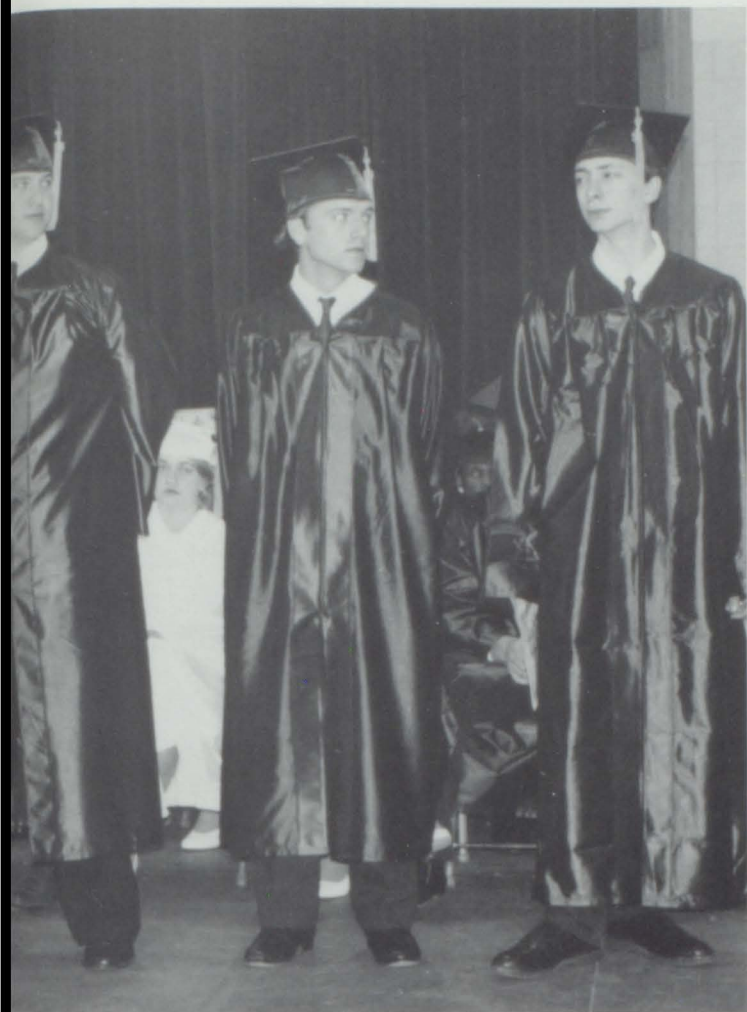
♦ **"We have finally made it."** Alexis Mason and Jon Howard share a moment of happiness before the graduation ceremony.

♦ **"At times like these a thank you is all you need."** Caitlin Hickey gratefully takes an award from Mr. Coates.



♦ **"Shake with one hand, take with the other."** Beth Bollinger hopes to remember the steps in the graduation ceremony.

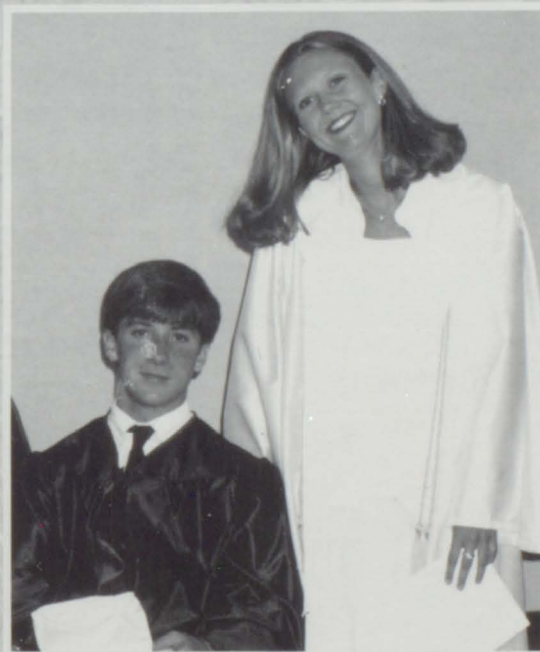
♦ **"The two students with the highest honors."** Mr. Pierce presents Erica Talley and Brinda Ramaiya with their medals.



"Wow, This is mine!" Sister of Mercy recipient, Mia Armstrong stands in awe while Sister Rosina compliments her.



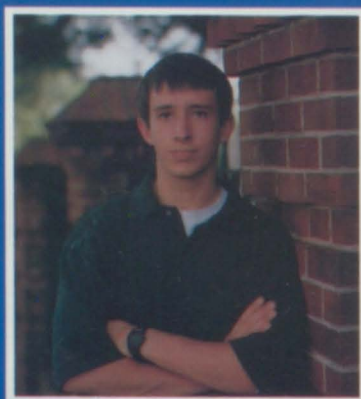
◆ **"I am a graduate!"** New Alumnus Danielle Davis poses with her family for a joyful picture after graduation.



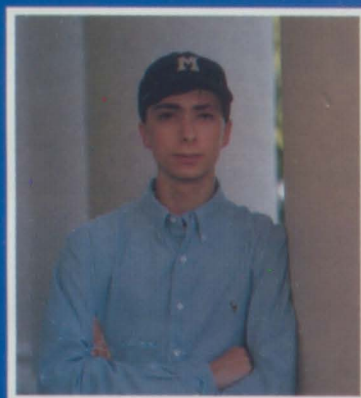
◆ **"We will always be friends."** Kimie Rankin and Chris Vance refuse to let the friendship end with everything else.

◆ **"That was a funny joke."** Lindsay Dessem laughs at a silly joke while she awaits the Baccalaureate ceremony. The ceremony was held at St. Joseph's Church. This is an example of how laid back the seniors really are.

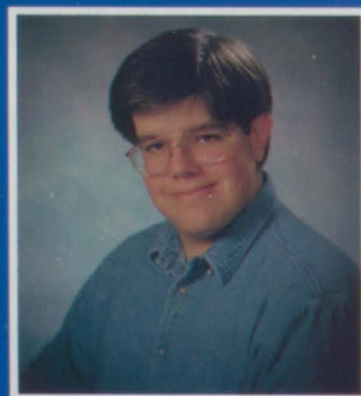




Samuel John Anson Singer



Warren Anthony Stramiello



Maurice William Tice



Ross John Ryan



Trysha Bil'Lynae Stephens



Jeff Daniel Strickland



Christopher Bryan Vance



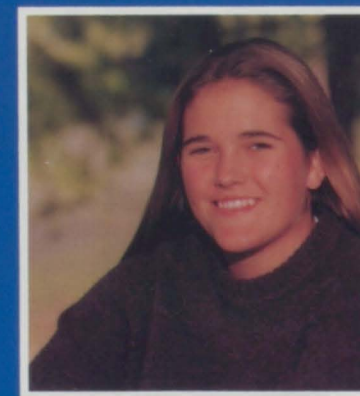
Marquez Jamar Sams



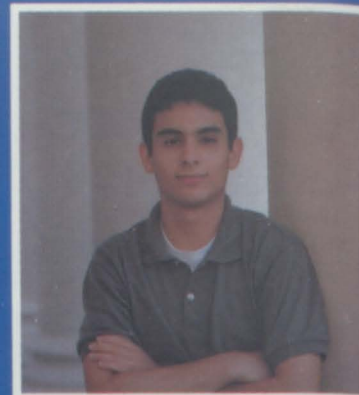
Brooke Channing Stone



Catherine Sarah Stroupe



Betsy Jo Washburn



Marcos Gabriel Sanchez



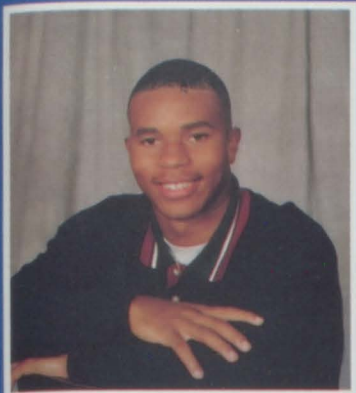
Morgan Campbell Stone



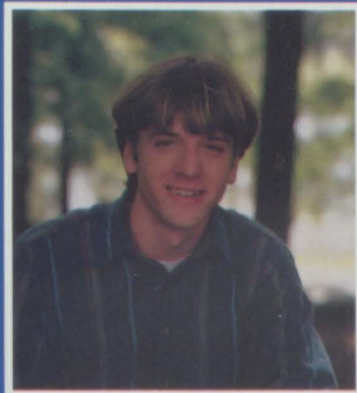
Erica Dominique Talley



Kendall Margaret Wall



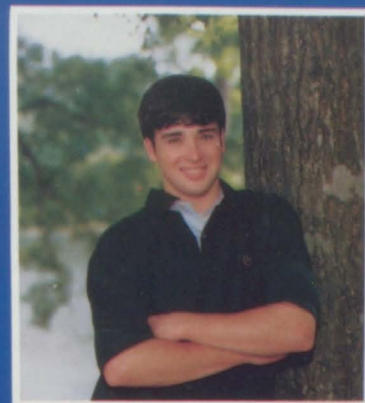
Antonio Levar Wesley



Benjamin Thomas Wilhelm



Narreinar Pawsheun Williams



Thomas Augustus Williamson III



Jeremy Rudd Wisdom



Whitney Rachael Wimberly



Stephanie Lynn Wilson



Patricia Allene Yarbrough



Robert Earl Zimmerman



"We love being seniors!" Patty Beiger, Lesley Anne Jordan, Amanda Evans, Paul Kirkland, and Johnny Lamb are really enjoying their last year at MdS. These are the best years of life, and they're living it up!

◆ "Now I can have that graduation feeling." Narreinar Williams and Chad Cavender chill on the bus.



◆ "Just chillin, trying to stay cool." A group of seniors take a needed break at Universal.



◆ "We are the best." Philip Cheshire stakes a flag in the trapezoid at the senior's school run.

Our Final Hurrah Together



♦ "The Altar boy will lead us!" Paul Filush carries the cross at mass on Ascension Thursday.

♦ "I will remember.." Gathering at the trapezoid on the last school day is a senior tradition.



♣ "Boogie down Mike." This senior joins in with the staff at King Henry's Feast for some fun.

Our Traditions

- 1) The senior retreats
- 2) Running through the halls
- 3) Gathering in the trapezoid at the end of the last day of school
- 4) Senior class trip
- 5) Candlelight Carol Service in December
- 6) Baccalaureate Mass
- 7) Running at the pep rallies

♣ "Gosh, I can't believe that this is the last time." The seniors assemble for their last mass.

Class of



1998



Dream a little *Dream* with me

PEOPLE , people and the rest of y'all too! One of the greatest strengths of MdS is the *diversity* of its people. And even though we are so different in many ways, ***we*** are also very alike. We all share the experiences of our school *community*. Common experiences can bind people *together* and friendships formed in high school can often ***evolve*** into lifelong relationships. The warm atmosphere fostered by the faculty helps **MdS** live up to its "blue ribbon" standard of **excellence**. MdS is a great place to be!



♦ "Wild and Crazy Kids!" Middle schoolers Jacki Clark, Haley Huckabee, and Michael Clowers spend some free time near the trapezoid. MdS is a PEOPLE oriented school and that's what makes it great!

◆“Oh Man! Look At That!” Sophomores Jaime Davis and Andy Filush LAUGH at something funny during an assembly. Good friends and good times make high school an experience of a lifetime. These are truly the best days of your lives boys!



◆“Which is the real ‘Mac Man?’” Mr. Mac poses with the GIANT replica of his head that Brinda Ramaiya and Edward Kendrick created. No, it is not true that MdS students gather around it to burn incense on test days.

◆“Friends forever or at least during lunch.” Janelle Joe, Terri Tyson, Michelle Bentley, Jessica Deeb, and Becky Kersey hug in the trapezoid. STRONG friendships make coming to school every morning a lot easier.



◆“Abbracadabba, Presto Chango!” Magician Bradley McClung does some MAGIC and tries to make John LeBlanc disappear as his lovely assistants, Amanda Jensen, Leslie Witherington, and Emily Andrews look on in amazement.

◆“Deep in meaningful thought.” Michael Slonaker spends a few QUIET moments studying before his next class. When it comes to crunch time, MdS students come through and when it is chill time, “It’s all good.”

Your Guess is as Good as Mine



Vernon Logan

"At MDS, the days are based on an education which helps us to grow and serves us in life experiences."

Vernon Logan



Suzanne Mattox

"Highschool is the time when we make friends that we plan on keeping in touch with for the rest of our lives."

Suzanne Mattox



♦ "No, no, honestly we are not fighting, just a little bit of macho male bonding! It's a guy thing." Playful Juniors Bradley McClung, John Michael Pearce, and John LeBlanc express their close friendship in strange, but loving, ways.

♦ "How many more blue boots do I have to cut out?" Junior Shell Kurzen asks tiredly as she smiles for a quick snapshot. Doing plenty of cutting, coloring, and cheering, the juniors fought hard for second place during Homecoming Week.



♦ "Who says clowns are just for laughs?" Taj Middleton and Brandon Jolley show that they can still appear dignified.

♦ "I can't believe that I actually agreed to wear a brown cardboard horse around my waist!" Rebecca Stokes exclaims.





◆ "I know I'm right. I always am." John Tripp basks in the sunshine of his glory while wandering the halls during his free period.



◆ "Today on David Springer: Fruit and the Tragedies it Causes." David Schnell risks humiliation to promote our fruit sale fund raiser.



◆ "Good friends must always stick together!" Juniors Connie Alman and exchange student Vivi Dinorah take a break from cheering.



◆ "Don't Elizabeth Coleman, Michelle Black, Kelly Brown, Katie Bentley, and Jennifer Blankenship belong in a jeans ad?"

◆ "Where is it? I can't find it!" Laura Perazzola hurridly skims through the papers looking for her number in the Pony Express.



Jonathan Akin
Connie Alman
Emily Andrews
Wayne Andrews



Nothing is so embarrassing as watching someone do something that you said couldn't be done.

-- Sam Ewing

Thomas Annandale
Missy Arcand
Lillie Austin
Gabriel Azar
Katie Bentley



The truth of the matter is that you always know the right thing to do. The hard part is doing it.

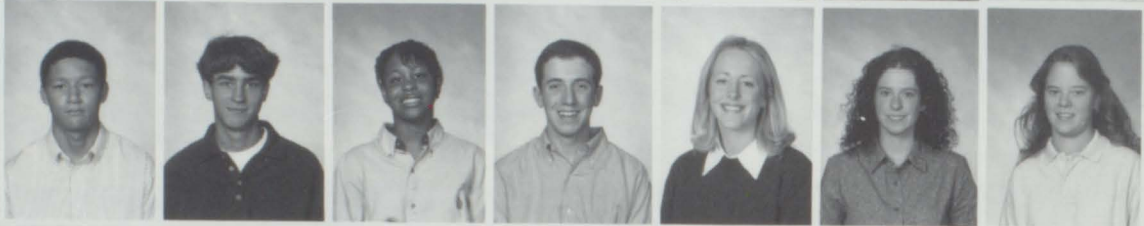
--Gen. H. Norman Schwarzkoff

Michelle Black
Jennifer Blankenship
Vari Brown
Kelley Brown
Melanie Brown
Vance Bumgardner



Teachin' kids to
teaching them

Jonathan Canady
Chris Carrigan
D'mya Carswell
John D. Cassidy
Summer Causey
Elizabeth Coleman
Michelle Craig



We know
when he
by his

Friends Make Every



◆ "This test is hard!" Maria Sanchez searches for an answer.

◆ Lena Mathis can't seem to get all the cheese off her fingers.





Jamie Crawford
Jeffrey Crumbley
Mary Daigle
Stefano Danese
Donovan Davis
Shan Davis
Kelly Dessart
Vyviani Dinorah

Holly Dugas
Chad Elloitt
Tim Finney
Jessica Garcia
Marla Geddis
Matt Graycheck
Chad Green

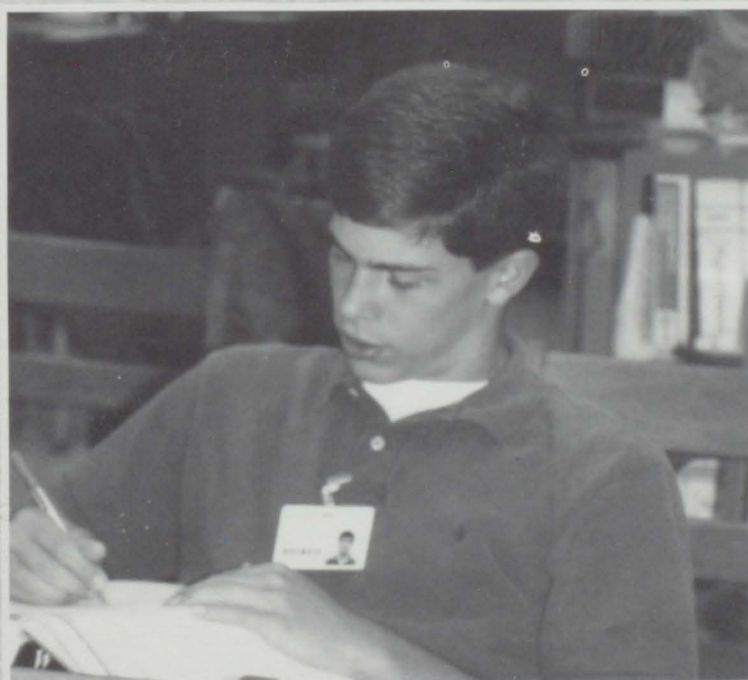
David Grinstead
Kris Harris
Will Hefner
Sara Hill
Eric Hogue
Chris Howard

John Michael Howell
Terrell Hubbard
Erin Huellemeier
Jennifer Jaudon
Andrew Jenkins

count is fine, but
what counts is best.
--Bob Talbert

what a person thinks not
tells us what he thinks, but
actions.
--Isaac Bashevis Singer

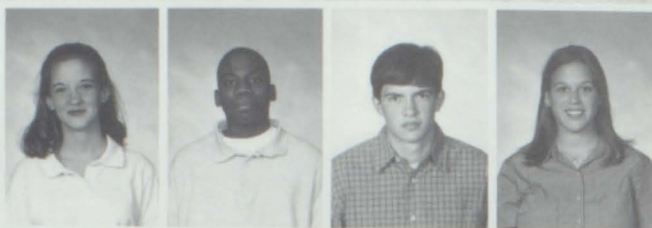
Day More Exciting



♦ "Homeroom and History go well together!" Jeffrey Crumbley gets some homework done before the school day officially begins.

♦ "You interrupted my conversation with Terrell!" Shan Davis tells the camera how she feels about having her picture taken.

Amanda Jensen
Brandon Jolley
Luke Knight
Shell Kurzen



You must do the things you think you cannot do.

-- Eleanor Roosevelt

John LeBlanc
Alison Lewis
April Lewis
Vernon Logan
Brad Lynch



If a window of opportunity
down the shades.

Lena Mathis
Suzanne Mattox
Katie Mayers
Bradley McClung
Jessica McDaniel
Brennan McGoldrick



I always prefer
it saves so much

Carl Mersch
Taj Middleton
Turner Oppy
Brinson Orr
John Michael Pearce
Michelle Peavy



Often the best
score.

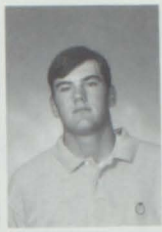
Junior Whopper With



♦ "It's me, Holly Dugas. Can't you tell who's behind this mask?"

♦ Chris Carrigan plays it cool even when he's surrounded by girls.





Laura Perazzola
James Prigatano
Kelly Raines
Branden Renfro
Mandie Reynolds
Matt Ritter
Maria Sanchez

appears, don't pull

--Tom Peters



Kim Sarabia
David Schnell
Eric Sessions
Glen Shelby
Robert Snider
Sarah Stiff

to believe the best of everybody-
time.

--Rudyard Kipling



Jessica Stinson
Rebecca Stokes
Beth Tamboli
Andrea Tice
John Tripp

way to win is to forget to keep

-- Maria Espinosa Murphy



Dennisha Vinson
Michael Walton
Nathan Williams
Leslie Witherington
Leslee Worrell

Cheese Please !!!



◆ These juniors sure can get pumped up for football games!

◆ These girls prove that red heads do have the most fun!

Juniors

"Let's hide Mr. T's book."
Nathan Williams,
Vernon Logan,
and Chad Green
start the day
mischievously.



"Junior
Year rocks
the house!"

Emily Andrews



"We should do
this everyday!"
Leslee Worrell
and her guest
enjoy time
together at a
picnic lunch.



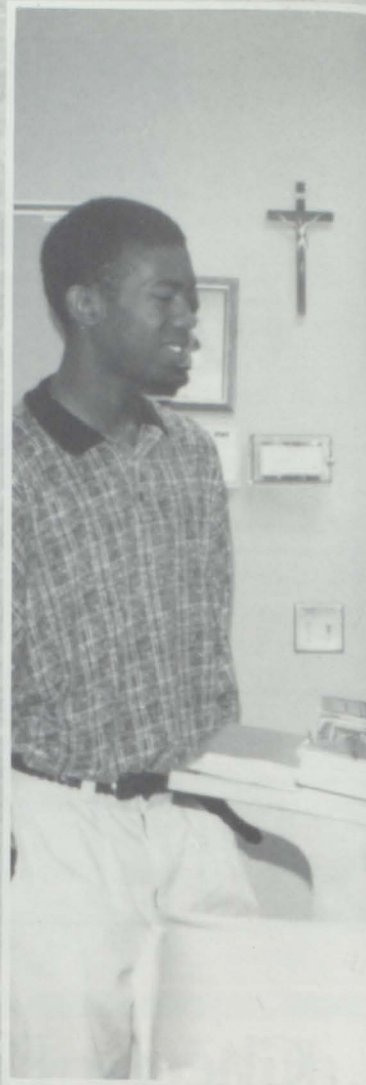
"The year
... every-
thing went
so fast!"

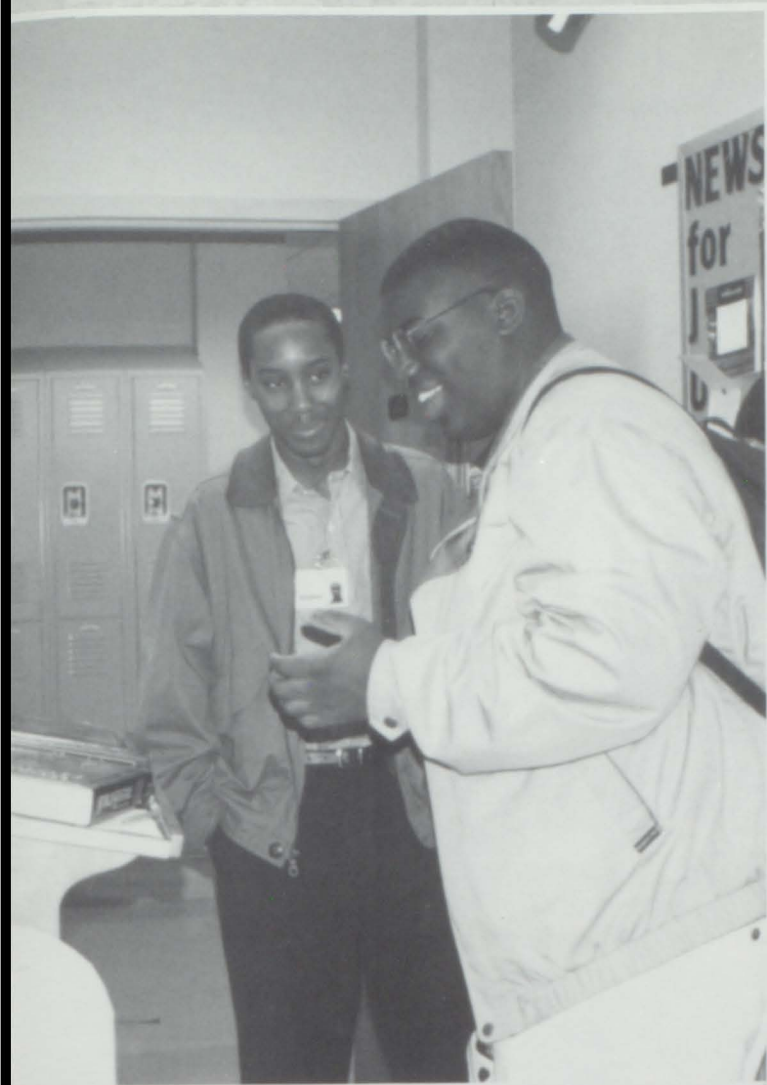
Amanda Reynolds



♣ "I told you so!" Mary
Daigle gets her point across.

♣ We know you're hiding some-
thing under your arms John D.





◆ "Ohh! This stuff is so sticky!" Junior Missy Arcand enjoys a chewy snack while sitting with her friends in the trapezoid.



♥ **Real** men make paper dolls." Brandon Jolley's got talent.



◆ "You look like you've just seen a ghost." Junior Brennan McGoldrick is caught in the headlights of Mrs. Sinksen's camera while sitting in class.



◆ "Yo quiero Taco Bell." A group of Junior boys sit in the bleachers dreaming about good food and running for the border.

◆ "Come on Kelly, you know you can share it with me. Junior Kelly Raines pretends not to take notice as Melanie Brown, coaxes her to tell about her secret.



No Where To Go But Up!

Hurry,
sophomores,
hurry! Sheridan
Hall is on fire!
(Just kidding. It's
only a routine fire
drill.)



"I like the
lunches
here a lot.
Everything
else is
pretty cool,
too."

David Puryear

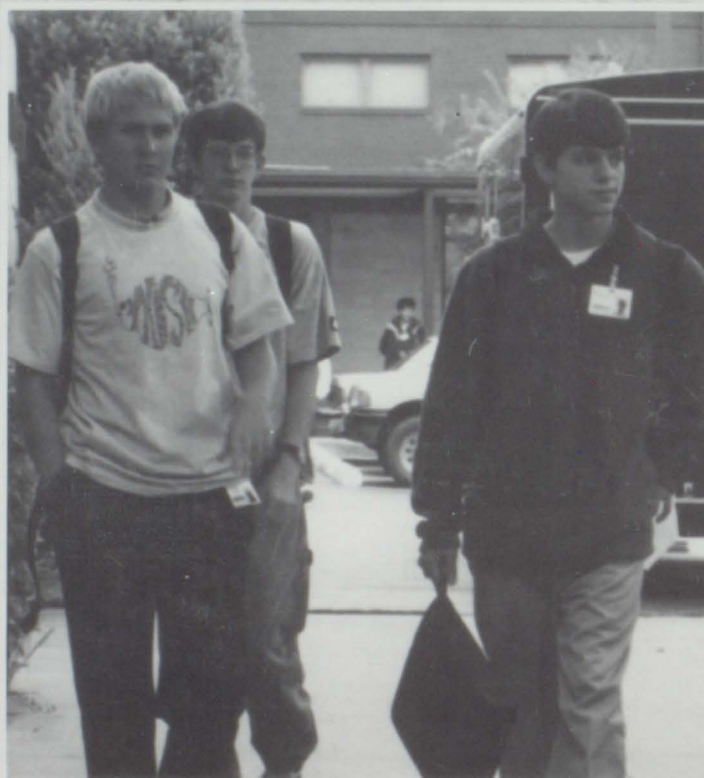


"Do you think
that if we just
stand here
looking hip
someone will
come and take
our picture?"



"I like the
school
more and
more every
year I
spend
here!"

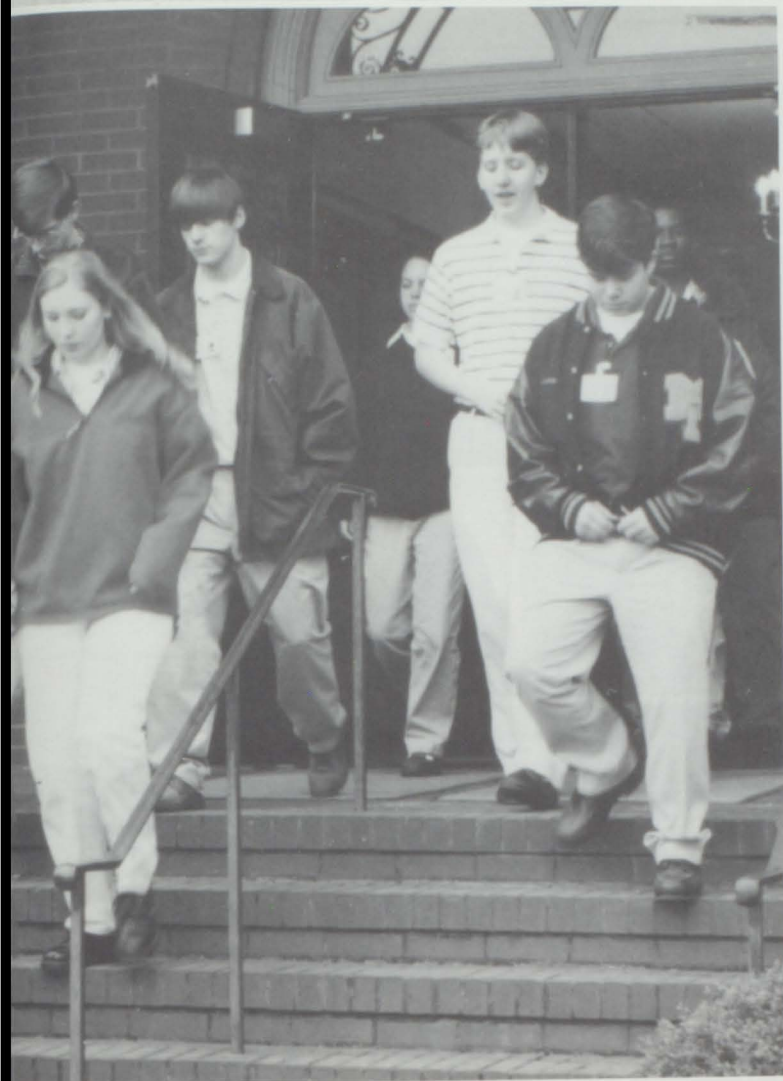
Jennifer Ray



◆ Sophomores Ross Crum-
bley, Robert Connely, and
Sean Coleman strut their
stuff on the way to their next
class.

◆ "What are you looking at?
Get your own pizza!" Mary
Catherine Smith protects
her meal from the camera
man.





◆ "Katie, what are you looking at?" Jenny Shoup tries to figure out exactly what her friend Katie Hofstadter is eyeing.



♥ Mike Flanders is cornered by Keely Stanley for a picture.

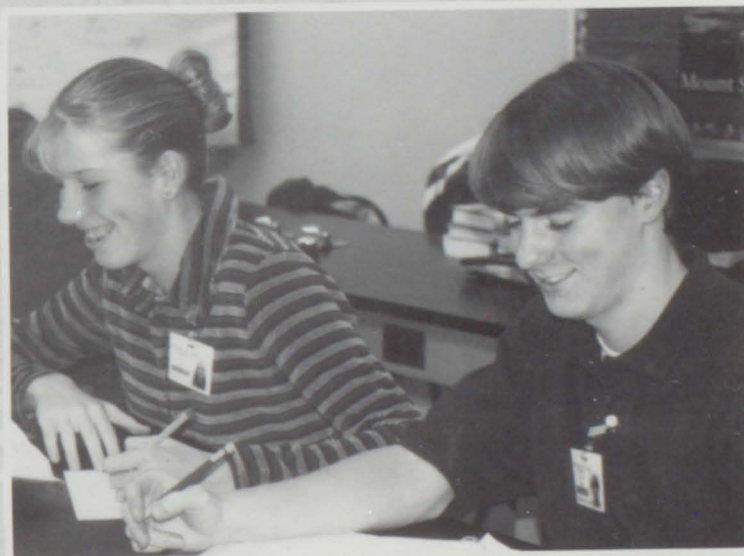


◆ "... and that is the point of the game." Sophomore Adam Koetter explains the ring toss to Brent Hamon.



◆ Watching proudly, Nick Richardson waits patiently for his teammates to join him and Xavier Randall at the recognition assembly.

◆ "This Algebra is way too easy!" Brannen Dodd and Carrie DeLoach laugh their way through a simple assignment in homeroom.



Erica Arena
Amber Barham
Ross Barrineau
Sandra Barton



Experience is the name everyone gives his mistakes.

-- Elbert Hubbard

Alex Beeson
Jeff Bester
Taylor Bragg
David Brennaman
Trey Brown



Success is getting what you want.
Happiness is linking what you get
--H. Jackson Brown

Chris Burch
Rob Chandler
Sean Coleman
Robert Connely
Micah Cooper
Natalie Cortes



The future has a way
nounced.

Lucy Crosby
Ross Crumbley
Zach Dadisman
Dyana Davis
Jamie Davis
Carrie DeLoach
Brannon Dodd



The nice
they do

No Reason



◆ Kelly O'Brien and Kasey Smith prove friends are good to lean on.

◆ Katie Hofstadter, Derek Thomas, & Mary Jo Staples chill out!





Justin Downs
Jonathan Ducote
Jay Epps
Ryan Fallon
Steve Fennell
Russ Ferreyra
Andy Filush
Mike Flanders

Jason Grizzard
Pierce Hale
Brent Hamon
Brooke Hartley
Josh Hattaway
Molly Hefner
Sean Hickey

Amanda Higdon
JaMelle Hill
Jim Hitchcock
Katie Hofstadter
Ben Huffman
Autumn Huntsinger

Anne Hurley
Jared Intaphan
Rokita Johnson
Ben Jones
Clare Katner

of arriving unan-
--George F. Will

thing about egotists is that
not talk about other people.
--Lucille S. Harper

For Regrets



♦The three legged race was popular at Spirit Day this year.

♦Tabatha LeMaster and her guest enjoy lunch on the trapezoid.

Melody Kirkland
 Andy Knight
 Adam Koetter
 Tabatha LeMaster



While an original is hard to find, he is easy to recognize.

-- John L. Mason

Christina Leslein
 Lori Leslie
 Sherry Long
 John Lynch
 Nikki Lyster



I always try to do six things before breakfast.

-- Lewis

Matt McBride
 Ninita McCan
 Jessie McCarren
 Terri McCrea
 Sarah Mead
 Mitchell Mixon



It's what you learn that counts.

Mike Morrow
 Lindsey Mummert
 Kelly O'Brien
 Heather Orange
 Rachael Patch
 Alysson Pohl
 Tim Price



You're tells as bad

Climbing To



◆Melissa Washburn enjoys a refreshing coke after school.

◆Taylor Bragg and Adam Stafford discuss important matters.





Elena Proctor
Jennifer Puckett
David Puryear
Rebecca Raffield
Xavier Randall
Jennifer Ray
Marques Redd
Becky Reese

Nick Richardson
R. P. Rider
Melissa Rosa
Walter Sanders
Samantha Silva
Emily Smith
Kasey Smith

Mary Catherine Smith
Danny Snyder
Rachel Spradley
Adam Stafford
Keely Stanley
Mary Jo Staples

Krystle Stewart
Michael Stramiello
Jennie Thigpen
Derek Thomas
Katie Thomason

impossible

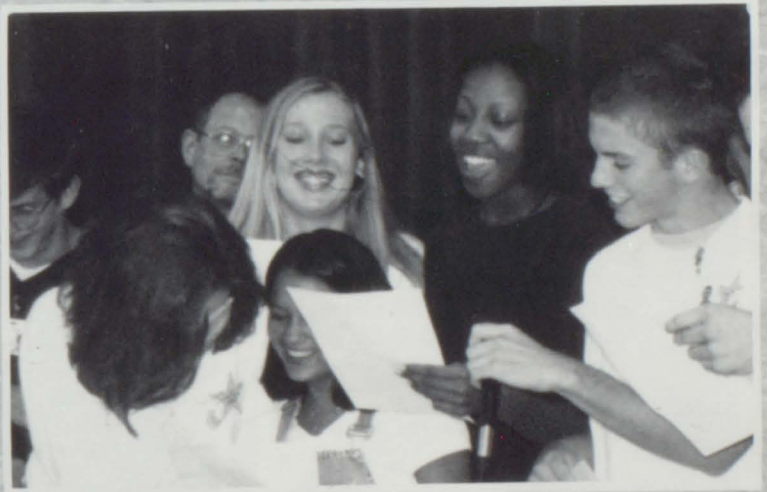
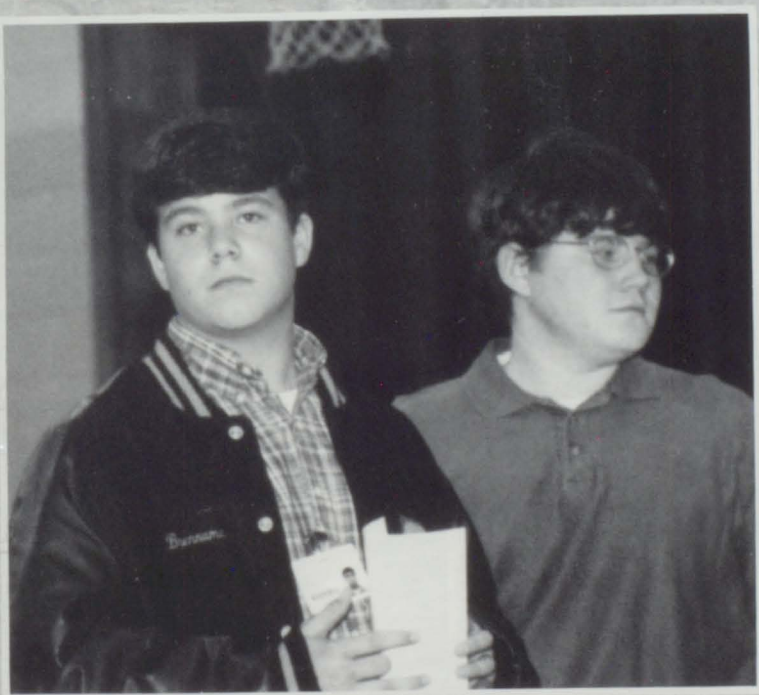
Carol

after you know it all

--John Wooden

never as good as everyone
you when you win, and never
as they say when you lose.
--Lou Holtz

New Heights



◆David Brenneman and Ryan Wade are honored for athletics.

◆Need entertainment? These sophomores can sing for you!

Nowhere To Go But Up!



Jennifer Van



Beth Vance
Ryan Wade



Meg Walters
Melissa Washburn
Chrissy Waterman



Katie Welsh
Jane Wooley
Kevin Wright
John Zebell



Christina Leslein ties her shoe.



R-P Rider searches his book-
bag.



Kasey Smith uses those mus-
cles.



"Psst, I have something to tell you!" Molly Hefner and Amanda Higdon tell secrets before school.



Chewing helps Sherry think.

Emily, Brooke, & John relax

Starting All Over Again

◆ Freshmen David Rumph and Blake Ballard compare notes on what it takes to be hip students at Mount de Sales.



◆ "Don't do that, you scared me." Kirk Davenport is surprised by the camera, but Marisa Scott remains oblivious.



"I think that friends are a lot of what makes MDS a great school."

Carla Paschke



"The teachers here are great; they really help if you don't understand something."

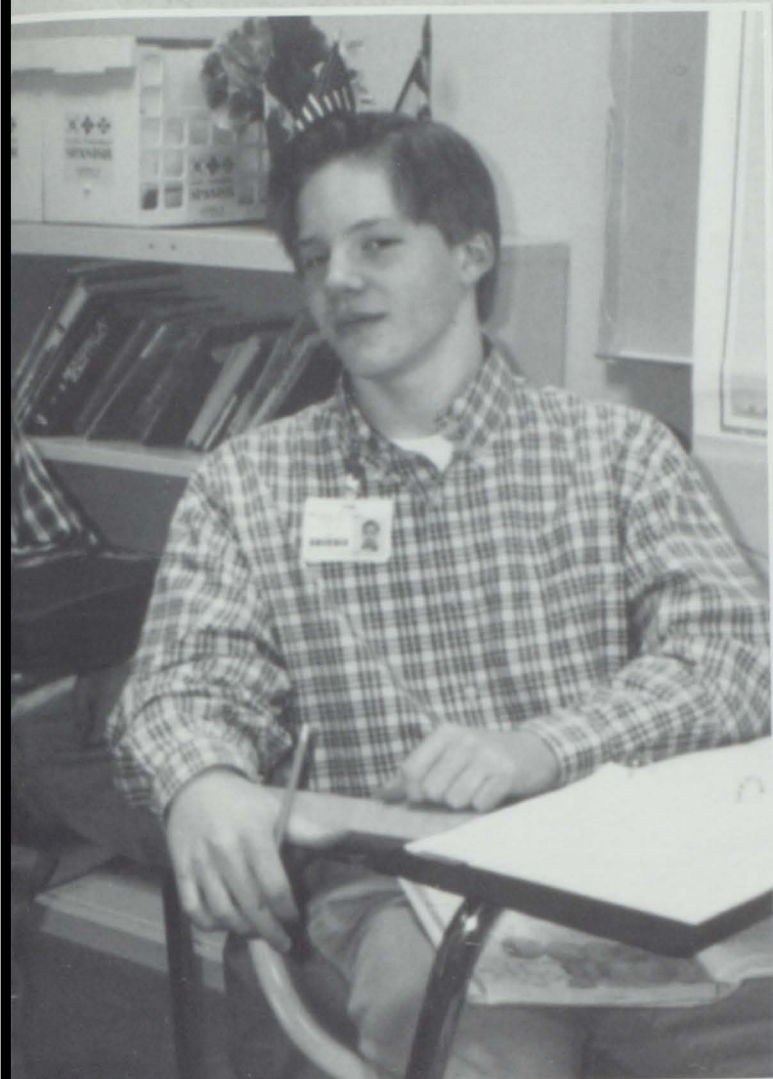
Crystle Roberson



"Makeup is half of the character." Mr. Freeman preaches to Natalie Andrews as he applies her makeup for the play.

"Caught in the headlights." Stunned by the camera, John Hurley can't escape the eye of the Yearbook staff.





◆ "Spirit is written all over my face." With a shining smile, B-team cheerleader Sarah Harrison has Mount de Sales pride.



◆ "Knees high, head up, and don't drop the ball!" Lindsey Gaskins leads her team to a win in Powder Puff football during Homecoming.



◆ "Look at that dancing! Where did they learn that?" Brooke Melton and Kelly Wall watch their classmates at the Back to School Dance.



◆ "Soccer players always look so cool." Nick McClendon, Nick Miklowski, and Phillip Walkemeyer receive letters at a sports assembly.

◆ "Must finish before bell rings ... getting sleepy." Racing to finish, Spencer Stull racks his brain for the correct answers.



Madhu Adiga
India Anderson
Natalie Andrews
Blake Ballard



Give a man a fish and he won't starve for a day. Teach a man how to fish and he won't starve for his entire life.

- African proverb

Carman Bell
Michelle Bentley
Florence Bivins
Jonathan Blankenship
Land Bonner



The most exciting phrase to science, the one that heralds discoveries, is not "Eureka" it) but "That's funny..."

--Isaac

Julia Brost-Clark
Justin Bundrage
Patrick Cassidy
Daniel Castresana
Sean Caulfield
Royce Collins



The hopeful man
others see failure,
others see shadow

Devin Cooper
Jamie Cribb
Tyler Cribb
Jason Culpepper
Kirk Davenport
Jessica Deeb
Evan Demere



Success
combusts
self on

Growing Wiser



"Another test! Please, I can't take it anymore!" Rachel Watts tries to persuade the teacher not to assign any more work.

"Yum, math problems go well with lunch." Freshman Eden Taylor gets some work done during his free time on the trapezoid.





Rick Dews
Will Dowling
Amanda Ferrara
Chad Folsom
David Garcia
Carl Garofalo
Lindsey Gaskins
Matthew Gay

hear in
new
(I found
Asimov



Brandon Geddis
Margo Gentry
Brittany Graham
Ed Grisamore
Kate Haney
Candace Harrington
Clint Harrison

sees success where
sunshine where
and storm.
--O.S. Marsden



Sara Harrison
Christy Hatton
Brittney Heath
Mary Heenan
Emily Hernandez
Jennifer Herndon

is not the result of spontaneous
tion. You must first set your-
fire.
-- Fred Shiero



Lindsey Hodler
Bobby Honrath
John Hurley
Adreanna Jackson
Janelle Joe

Every Day



♦ "What an absolutely fabulous show." Actress Jennifer Webb performed in the Thespian's winter play "White Room of My Remembering".

◆ "Ugh, please don't touch me with that." These freshman girls prove that morning homeroom does not have to be all business.

Erica Johnson
Ben Johnston
Becky Kersey
Karen Klingelhofer



Life is like a bicycle. You don't fall off unless you plan to stop pedaling.
- Claude Pepper

Lauren LeBlanc
Ryan Leonard
Chris Lockwood
Jana Mann
Elizabeth Mason



Man will occasionally stumble over truth, but most times he will pick up and carry on.

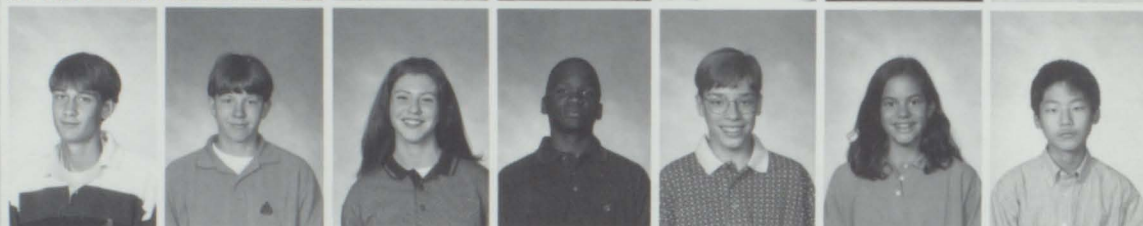
-- Winston Churchill

Anthony Mazza
Nick McClendon
Brooke Melton
Nick Miklowski
Ivey Miller
Jennifer Nelson



Winners never quit a

Wes Nichols
Bobby Nickels
Tania Nix
John Norfleet
Timothy O'Mahony
Genevieve Olivier
Charles Park



The cry
very po
fact is t

Times of



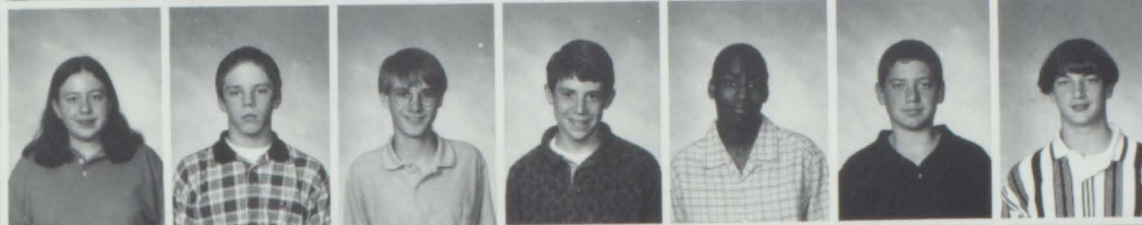
"Look at my pearly, white teeth!" Freshman Kevin Summers is not ashamed to show off his great smile for Mount de Sales to see.

"Cool! I have not played on an Etch-A-Sketch in a while." Freshman Jessie Rosa gets in touch with the little kid inside of her.





Carla Paschke
Jenny Paschke
Liz Pearce
Jayme Potts
Georgia Ragonetti
Phillip Raines
Crystle Roberson
Jessie Rosa



Molly Rowland
David Rumph
Lanier Sammons
Justin Schuchmann
Marisa Scott
Billy Shackelford
John Paul Shelby



Ginny Shoup
Brian Slocum
Cam Snow
Ren Stanley
Chad Stefano
Mike Stone



Spencer Stull
Kevin Summers
Eden Taylor
Rashad Tharpe
Keri Beth Tidmore

the
myself up
archill

quitters never win.

Vince Lombardi

could have thought of that" is a
ular and misleading one, for the
they didn't.

-- Douglas Adams

Change



"Don't you think our curb is the hippest?" Ed Grisamore and Jonathan Blankenship enjoy themselves at the Back to School Dance.

"Really, we're not gossiping. I promise." Ginny Shoup and Jayme Potts share the latest word on what's going on in their lives.

Making Our Way To The Top



Justin Trentadue



Terri Tyson
Phillip Walkemeyer



Kelly Wall
Ben Washburn
Rachel Watts



Jennifer Webb
Laura Wilhelm
Dallas Williams
Jordan Wilson
Cletia Wimberly



Clint and Ben listen carefully to
the student council candidates.



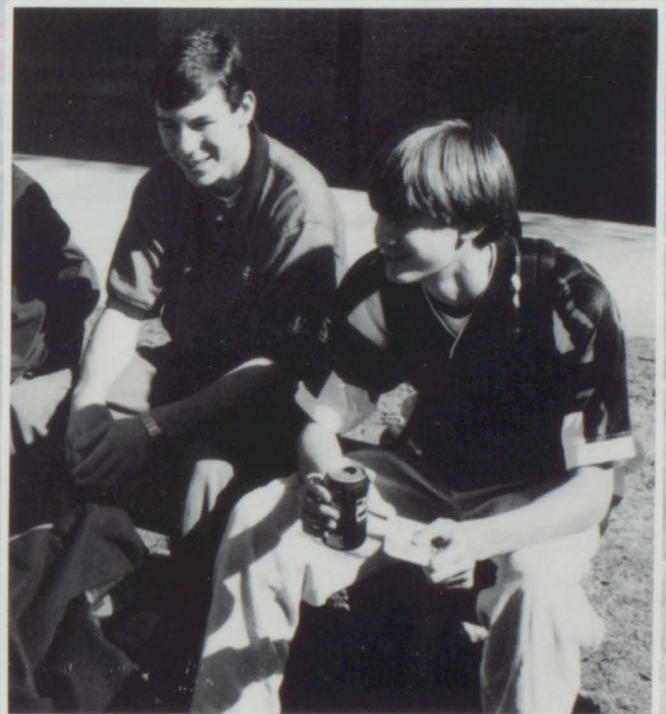
Lindsey manages to securely tie
up her unfortunate partner,
Nick.



Jessica is dressed up for the
Wild, Wild West during Home-
coming Week.



"Ahh, back at MDS again!" This group of freshmen patiently waits for ID photos on the first day of school. It feels great to come back here.



"This is great!" Terry and Jayme enjoy the student breakfast.

"Is this too much?" Wes asks Ryan for advice about what to wear.

The End is the Beginning

"The most fun I had this year was going to watch and cheer at football games with my friends and being able to support our football team and Mount de Sales Academy!" Daryl Ebanks

7th Grade



"Yee Haw! We love to dosi doe!" Our middle schoolers were really excited to participate in the Homecoming activities.

"Oh no! I can't find my number! I gotta hurry!" Jesse Mielarczyk tries to find his number during the annual MDS Bonfire.



"Being at MDS has taught me about education, friendship, and has encouraged me to do more for my school. I hope that next year will be more exciting for us." Courtney Edington

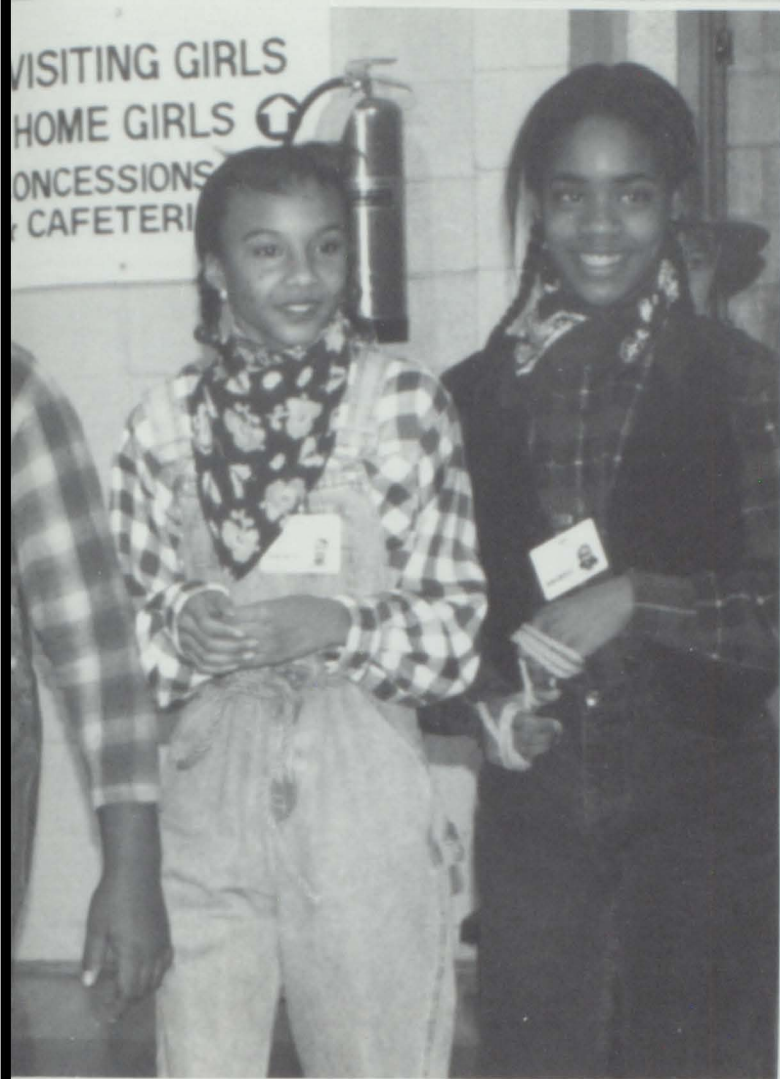
8th Grade



"Go MDS football!" rings throughout the MDS gym as the excited 7th graders cheer on their favorite players.

"Thank gosh it's break, my favorite time of the day!" Sarah Harmon and Kimberly Thomas take a break from their daily routine.





"Strike a pose!" Mike Madison, Matthew Richardson, and Sean Wilson strike a pose while they get their picture taken.



"Quick, we have to make it back to class!" Anna Zimmerman, Theresa Jurgenson and Wrenn Federlein rush to make it to their lockers.



♣ "When you smile, the whole world smiles with you!" Frances Layfield, Brooke Burkhalter and Katie Hatcher hide those pearly-whites.

♦ "Hey, did you hear about . . ." Gina Trentadue, Catherine Whittington, and Caitlin Murphy discuss the middle school's news.



♦ "Today I am making a new plan to TAKE OVER THE WORLD!" Ben Pierce schemes in class.



Megan Allen
Andy Arena
Justin Banks
Andy Blum



"I find the harder I work, the more luck I seem to have."

--Thomas Jefferson

Hannah Bradley
Kristin Bryatn
Sarah Burch
Matthew Burns
Matt Carrigan



"Whether you think that you can, or can't, you are usually right."

--Henry Ford

Josh Chafin
Katie Coates
Jon Cochran
Erin Coleman
Wright Coleman
Laura Conway



"Wit is educate"

--Aristotle

Haley Crawford
Kristen Croom
Jeff Dadisman
Stephanie Deep
Sarah DeLoach
Nick Dermatas
Emily Dessem



"Imagin
edge."

What Lies



Laura Conway ponders the meaning of life during English class.

Eighth graders "obey their thirst" after P.E. in the trapezoid.





Julia Doolittle
Naseem Duval
Courtney Edington
Autumn Ethridge
Nick Ewing
Amy Faircloth
Katie Fennell
Dustin Fordham

Jessica Freeman
Audra George
Jason Glow
Andy Graycheck
Michael Grimsley
Hamilton Hardison
Sarah Harmon

Ashley Harrison
Scott Hatcher
Lea Hattaway
Megan Hickman
Brandon Hughes
Kelly Hutto

Clifford Jance
Cori Johnson
Karlene Karrfalt
Tala Katner
Kimberly Kelsey

Ahead



♦ "Sometimes I feel more like a ballerina than a cheerleader!"

♣ "Man, these burgers are da bomb!" Virgil Watkins enjoys lunch.

Jonathan Koetter
Amy Laughter
Jennifer Leverett
Katie Leverett



"The artist is nothing without the gift, but the gift is nothing without work."
--Emile Zola

Andrew Liedle
Mike Lopapa
Brittany Lynch
Mike Madison
Kevin Matovu



"Do not look where you fell but where slipped."
--Proverb

Ryohei Matsumoto
Lee Matthews
Colby Mayers
Brian McBrearty
Cole Miller
Whitney Misch



"Only two things are human stupidity, and former."
--Albert Einstein

Ben Mishra
Caitlin Murphy
Brandt Orr
Charley Oxley
Ben Pierce
Christina Price
Marquita Redd
Lindsay Richardson



Breaking New



Jason Glow doesn't appear to be very thrilled about homework.

These eighth grade girls' laughter is truly contagious!

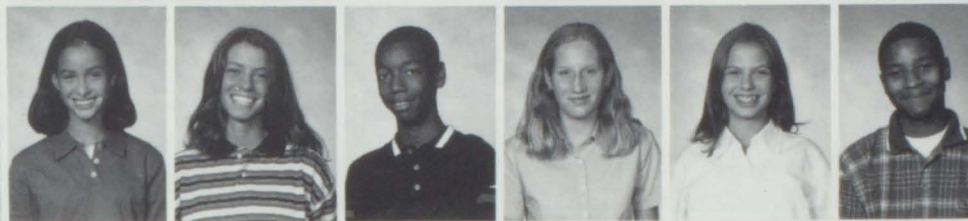




Matthew Richardson
Tabatha Roberson
Kimberly Rockmore
Maria Rouse
Lydia Sewell
Michael Slonaker
Shelby Smith
Spencer Smith



Ashley Spillers
Laura Stanley
Anna Stiff
Shane Stokes
Steven Stone
Alicia Stramiello
Allen Stroupe



Skyler Stull
Kristin Taylor
James Taylor
Kimberly Thomas
Gina Trentadue



Virgil Watkins
Katherine Wittington
Matt Williams
Kristen Williamson
Sean Wilson
Laura Wood

"In theory, there is no difference
between theory and practice.
But in practice, there is."

--Jan L.A. van de Snepschut

Ground



♦ "Try doing it this way." Julia
Doolittle helps Katie Fennell.

♣ "Can I get dressed now?"
Kristen Williamson hurries after
P.E.

Josh Adams
Ryan Amerson
Southernly Appling
Jessi Asbell



"The detention list will be posted on the bulletin board outside the cafeteria. Check your name and room location and be prompt for detention."
--Coach Chester Pierce

Rachel Azar
Kristina Baker
Anthony Baumann
Kristi Beall
Zach Benson



"The full use of your powers along lines of excellence."
— definition of happiness by JFK

Katie Blackburn
Andrew Blakenship
Colin Booth
Brandon Branch
Brooke Burkhalter
Alan Cardwell



"Reach high, for stars lie Dream deep, for every d goal."
--Ralph Vaull Starr

Marisa Castresana
Scott Causey
Justin Channel
Blake Chapman
Jacki Clark
Michael Clowers
Rachael Conn



"The best pro today's work"
--Osler

Just Getting



◆ "I'm gonna be in the year-book!!!" Rachel Azar laughs excitedly.

◆ Jayanthi Narain, Sarah Desart, & Bailey Perdue laugh at jokes.





John Michael Cunard
Sarah Dessart
Nena Dillard
Camille Dizon
Daryl Ebanks
Drew Edwards
Angela Ellis
Stephanie Ely



Wrenn Federlein
Jennifer Fordham
Josh Gaskins
Whitney Glover
Kris Golub
Christi Grizzard
Nancy Haney



Catherine Harris
Brittany Hartley
Katie Hatcher
Steven Hollis
J.T. Holton
Katie Horst



Haley Huckabee
Peter Hudson
Clay Huffman
Gwen Johnson
Sara Johnson

hidden in your soul.
ream precedes the

paration for tomorrow is to do
superbly well."

Started



◆Rebecca Stiff and Sara Su-chower stride through the halls.

◆Rachael Conn and Jessica Riggs chill at a school assembly.

Theresa Jurgensen
 Andy Kalbfleisch
 Cole Keever
 Aaron Kelley
 John Kipe



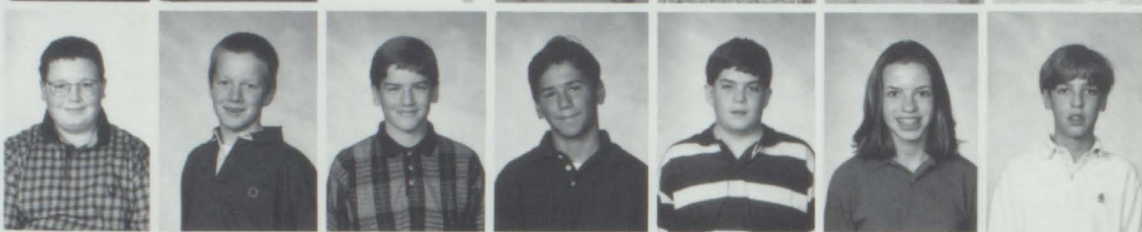
No man is so poor as to have
 nothing worth giving.
 Henry Wadsworth
 Longfellow

Amanda Koplin
 Frances Layfield
 Catherine Leverett
 Hillary Lipko
 Brandon Logue
 Karen Marshall



It's a funny thing about life
 to accept anything but the
 often get it.
 - W. Somerset Maugham

Matthew McCrory
 Sam Meadows
 Brian Mears
 Brandon Melton
 Richard Meredith
 Elizabeth Meriwether
 Jessie Mielarczyk



It may be
 do most
 most.
 Stephen

Nhadia Montreuil
 Juan Morales
 Jayanthi Narain
 Audra Nessing
 William Nicholson
 Nneka Nwosu
 Jennifer Oliver
 Lauren Patch



A Whole



Southerly Appling gets ready to
 plunge into the weekend.

Whitney Glover & Theresa Jur-
 gensen relax at the end of the
 day.





Bailey Perdue
Shantrice Peters
John David Pinkston
Emily Pittard
Eric Puglielli
Brooklyn Punziano
Lyndsey Pye
Tom Radomski

Satish Reddy
Jessica Riggs
Rocky Rogers
Jenna Schmitt
Kyle Schuchmann
Billy Schwab
Solomon Sewell

Megan Sightler
Franklin Smith
Benjamin Smith
Rachael Smith
Jason Spicer
James Stallings
Rebekah Stiff

Ashley Stokes
Seth Story
Sara Suchower
Geoffrey Walker
Jameson Wilson
William Young
Anna Zimmerman

New World



Michael Clowers and Richard Meredith exhibit Cavalier spirit.

Blake Chapman, John Gaskins, & Kyle Schuchmann cut loose.

A pessimist is one who makes difficulties of his opportunities;
An optimist is one who makes opportunities of his difficulties.
- Reginald B. Mansel

In The Know

♦ "Yes ... we would like a large pepperoni with lots of extra cheese, a basket of breadsticks with cheese dip, and three Pepsis." Mrs. Cortes, Mrs. Able, and Mrs. Kersey take a break from a hard days work to order a pizza for lunch one afternoon.

♦ "Gosh ... teaching classes, grading papers, making lesson plans, coaching sports, and doing all the things teachers do sure does take a lot out of a person!" Coach Brown takes refuge in the Teacher's Lounge in order to get some of his work done in peace.



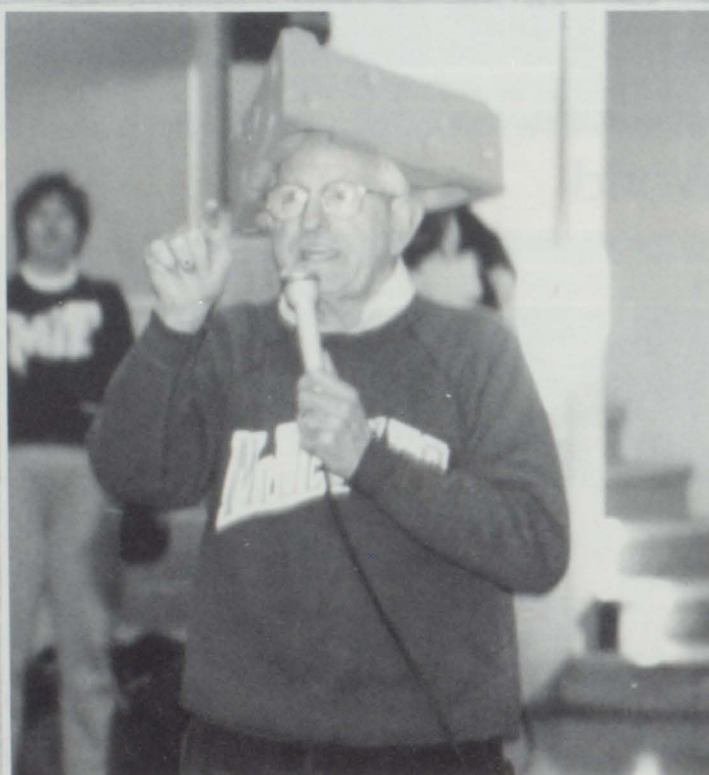
Mrs. Bentley

"During my second year of teaching, I forgot to take my class to an assembly. We walked in fifteen minutes late." Mrs. Melanie Bentley



Mr. Garvin

"One time a student told me that he had lost his homework sheet. I gave him a new one and after we went over the answers, he came up and said he had found his original sheet." Mr. Rob Garvin



♦ "You know you're jealous of my cheese hat!" Mr. Mike Garvin leads the student body in a cheer for the football team.

♦ "Repeat after me: Mrs. Dermatas listens intently to Mr. Freeman as she receives a lesson in dramatic storytelling.





◆ "Hey look! I knew I could still handle a hula hoop!" An energetic Mrs. Boone releases some excess English class tension.



◆ "Boy, those cheerleaders have a lot of energy." Mrs. Garvin and Coach Slocum watch as the cheerleaders pump up the students.

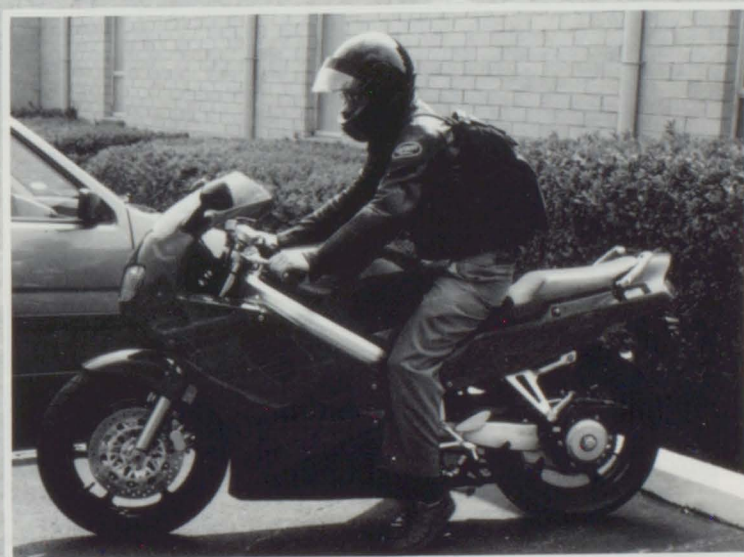


◆ "You want a picture of me?" Sister Rosina questions the photographer while Sister Geraldine acts like he is not even there.

◆ "That's right. I'm cool and I've got a motorcycle." Mr. Mac prepares to ride off on his shiny, red bike.



◆ "My new hat is definitely in style and it was definitely made for me!" Mr. Smith reveals there's a silly side underneath his teaching facade.



No If's And's or But's About it



Mrs. Patti Able
School Secretary



Mrs. Nancy Allen
Tapestry, Library Assistant



Mrs. Bentley
Middle School Math



Mrs. Gloria Bester
High School Guidance
Counselor



Mrs. Lee Boone
English



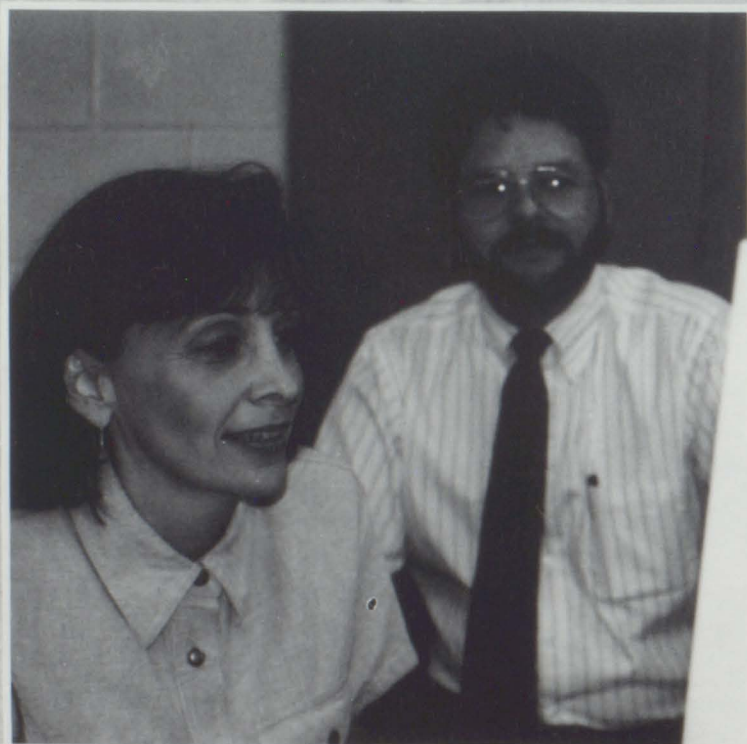
Mr. Travis Brown
Algebra, Environmental
Science, Asst. J.V. Football,
Asst. Track



Mrs. Linda Cardwell
Development Office
Secretary



Mrs. Eileen Carlson
World Geography, U.S.
History, Builder's Club



"Just pretend that we are playing a really good computer game." Mrs. Brenda Timms and Mr. Tom Rule work to access top secret Mount de Sales files. Don't worry, they won't teach their students the art of hacking; it's not part of their job description.



Ms. Barbara Castresana
Spanish, Spanish Honor
Society



Mrs. Jane Claxton
English, Christian Scriptures



Mr. Don Coates
Development Director, Key
Club, Cavalier Ambassadors



Mrs. Janice Cortes
Administrative Secretary



Mrs. Mary Pat Dadisman
C-Team Cheerleaders, Life
Science, Pre-Algebra



Mr. Randy Davis
World Geo., Psychology,
Economics, U.S. Gov't.,
Football, Golf



Mrs. Amelia Dermatas
Biology



Mr. Kevin Dockrell
Religion, Photography, AP
American History, Moot
Court



Mr. Mike Garvin
Geometry, Calculus, Math
Team



Mr. Rob Garvin
Physical Science, Biology,
Asst. V. Football, Girls Track



Miss Tammy Jo Hope
Girl's P.E., Cross Country,
C-Team Basketball



Mrs. Lynn Hutto
English, DeSales DeSpach



Mrs. Joan Maril
Academic Support Services



Mr. Ron McLachlan
Physics, Chemistry,
Astronomy, Academic
Bowl, Science Bowl

Excuses Excuses

"I was absent
because my pet
squirrel died."
Mr. Mike Garvin



"I know all the
answers to the
test. I just put
them after the
wrong
questions."
Mrs. Lee Boone

"My dad
mailed my
homework with
the mortgage
payment." Mr.
Kevin Dockrell



"Mr. Turner can I
go to the
bathroom? I need
to brush my
teeth." Mr.
Stephen Turner

"I read my
homework
while I was
suntanning and
the glare was
so bad that I
couldn't see
the words." Mr.
Scott Turner



Mrs. Betty Dohn
Peace Through Justice,
Christology, Prophets,
Hebrew Scriptures



Mr. John Freeman
English, Drama Director



Miss Katherine Hatcher
Spanish, English, B. Softball,
B. Basketball



Mrs. Lynn Hatcher
Math, Christian Scriptures,
V. Softball, V. Basketball



Mrs. Lisa Kersey
Financial Secretary



Mr. William Loy
Spanish

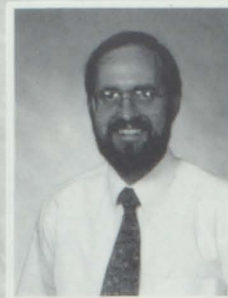


Mrs. Diane Mead
Art, Art Honor Society,
SADD



Mrs. Debra Mermann
Sex Education

As a Matter of Courses



Mr. Terrance Mermann
Principal



Mr. Paul Midkiff
Algebra, Calculus,
Trigonometry, T. Leaders,
St. Council, Tennis



Mr. Michael Miles
Maintenance



Mrs. Rebecca Mixon
Earth Science



Mrs. Mary Frances Peery
Middle School Guidance
Counselor



Mr. Chester Pierce
Vice Principal, J.V. Football,
Baseball, 7th Gr. Boys
Basketball



Mr. Tony Pierce
Boy's P.E., V. Football
Asst., V. Baseball Asst., B.
Baseball



Mr. Thomas Rule
Computer Applications,
Multimedia Technology

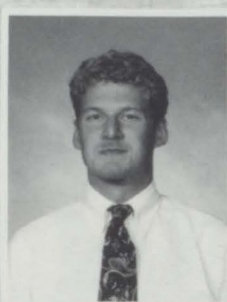


◆ Mr. R. Davis,
Mr. K. Garvin,
and Mr. T. Pierce
coached our
varsity football
players through a
spectacular
1997-1998
season.

◆ "Come on, ride
that train!" Diane
Mead and Betty
Dohn prove that
they can get
down and boogie
with the "hip"
students at MdS.



Sister Mary Rosina
President



Mr. Matt Schindler
Geometry, Math IV, J.V.
Boys Soccer, Asst. Track



Mr. Don Sherwood
Statistics, Algebra, V.
Football Asst., V. Basketball



Mrs. Sue Sinksen
English, Yearbook



Mrs. Lindsey Skinner
French, Christian Lifestyles

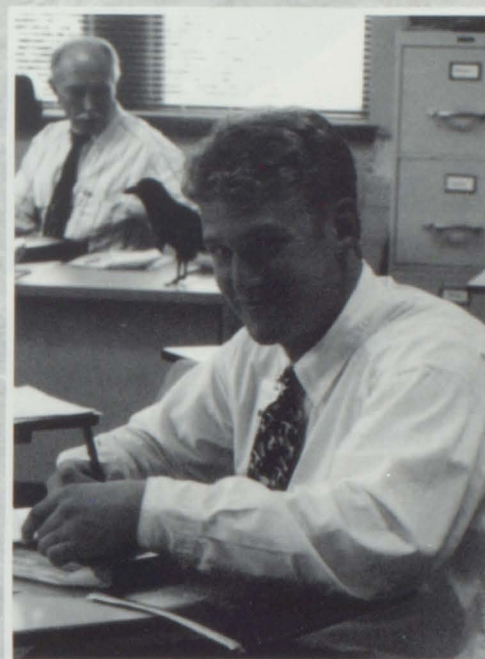


Mr. Robert Slocum
Boy's P.E., V. Football,
B-Team Basketball



"I think that you push this button and turn this knob and it should record your skit." Mr. Midkiff video tapes his students.

♦ "Grading my students' papers is always such a thrill!" Mr. Matt Schindler cheerfully smiles for the camera.



Mr. Tam Smith
Girl's Soccer, Asst. Softball,
Hebrew Scriptures



Mrs. Amy Starks
Guidance Counselor
Secretary



Mrs. Sandra Tate
Writing, Debate



Mrs. Brenda Timms
Pascal, Webmasters, Track,
Student Council



Mr. Scott Turner
American History,
Environmental Club,
Conditioning Coach



Mr. Stephen Turner
World History, Geography,
Asst. J.V. Football, Asst.
Track



Mr. Michael Vullo
Librarian, National Honor
Society



Mrs. Donna Washburn
Chorus, Prayer, Handbells



Mrs. Gwen Weston
English, Keyboarding,
Speech



Mrs. Barbara Williams
Maintenance



Mr. Tommie Williams
Maintenance



Sister Geraldine Yerg
Middle School Coordinator

DREAM IT UP. SERVE IT UP.

Oh no! The MdS students have been "clubbed to death"! Well...not really, but they *are* involved in many *different* activities around school. Student Council, one of the many **active** clubs, put together a *wild* homecoming bash and a super Spirit week this year. Every club helps teach the *values* of service to their members. Some clubs, like **NHS** are strictly *honorary* and their purpose is to acknowledge students who go ABOVE and beyond in their academic and extra curricular *endeavors*.

"Worried? Us? Never!" Seniors Warren Stramiello, Charles Frey, and Brinda Ramaiya try to TEACH Sean Caulfield some basics about dealing with Mr. Mac. The Academic Bowl team was very successful this year, flooring all competition in the annual WMAZ Teen Challenge competitions. Way to go!

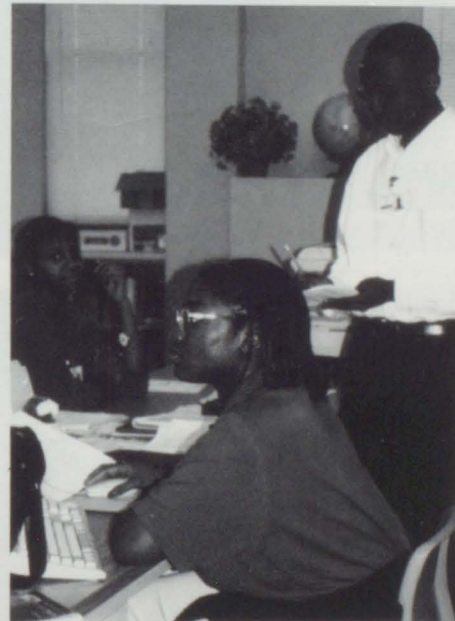


"What must one do to be a member of the National Honor Society?" Anne Hurley and her parents celebrate her recent induction to this prestigious CLUB. After the ceremony, students and their guests are invited to a reception.



"Ahhh! I can feel the flow ... it feels so strange ..." Marcos Sánchez is happy that his BLOOD will save someone's life one day. The Student Council was instrumental in assisting the Red Cross as they pumped MdS for "young blood".

"Oh my goodness! A limited edition of *Winnie the Pooh* classics! I've been looking for this for years!" Sophomore Ross Crumbley, like many Key Clubbers, always FINDS something interesting to do to get community service points.



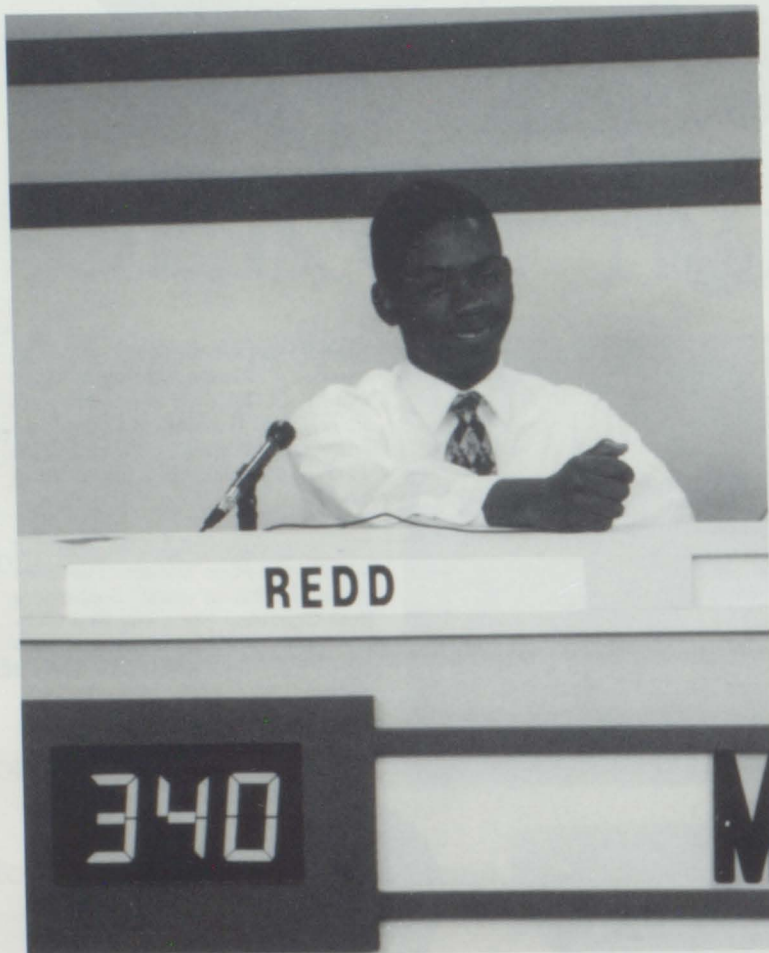
"Striving for Excellence!" The *de-Sales deSpach* is always trying out TRENDY new designs. Some of the creative people backstage: Jennifer Nelson, Erica Talley, and Royce Collins work hard at a meeting.



"Building an extra wing on to Grey Cottage, Kelly?" Kelly Dessart is actually working on an art project. The members of the Art Honor Society strive to make interesting and creative interpretations of their WORLD.

♦**I got it! I got it right!** Sophomore Marques Redd rejoices in knowing that he answered the question correctly. His response helped to cap off a stunning contest that led the Mount de Sales Academic Team to a championship victory.

♦**One, two, three, get this math away from me!** Charles Frey and Thomas Annandale, Math Team members, stare at algebraic equations and try to determine the solutions. Though solving math problems can be frustrating, it's actually fun!

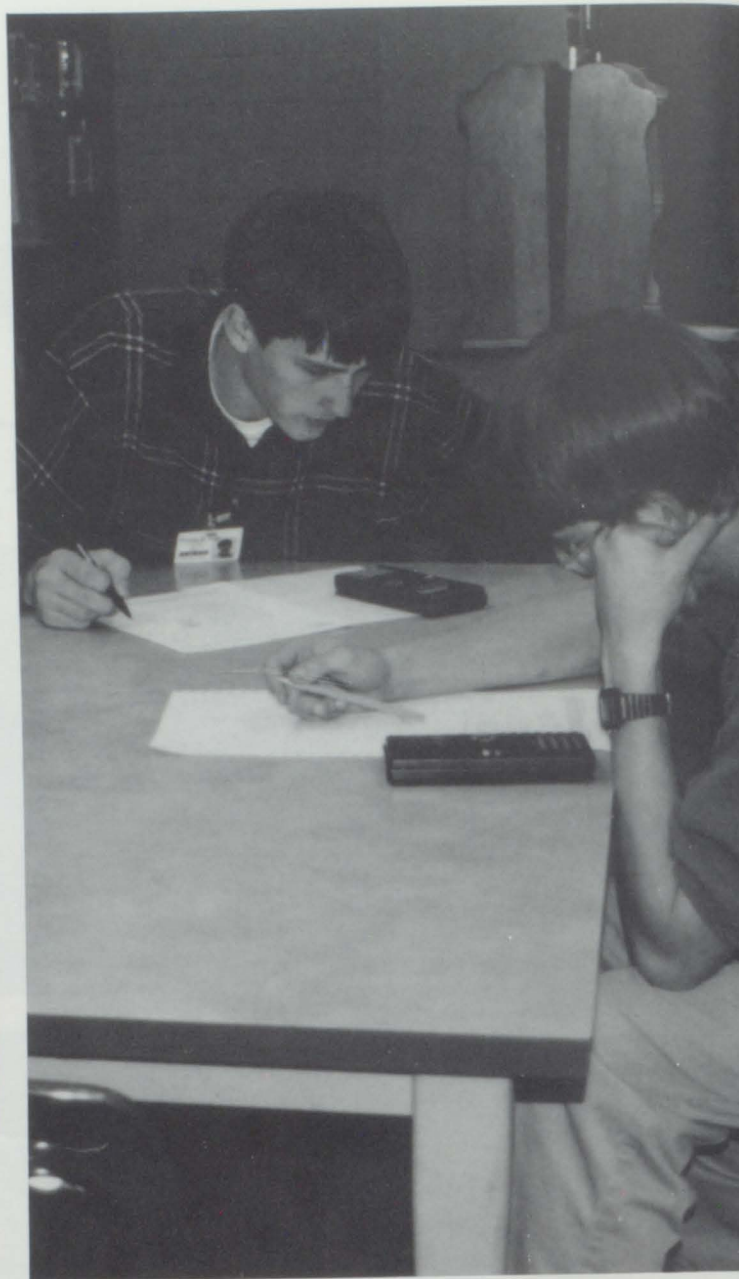


“

The Academic Team this year was a great success, says Senior Brinda Ramaiya. We not only participated in several competitions, but we also had tons of fun. There was never a dull moment.

”

♦**I know this answer, just a few more seconds.** Carla Paschke quickly tries to finish the Georgia Math League test before her time runs out. As a member of the math team she takes pride in her ability to work those hard problems.



Hard to Beat



Academic Team ... Warren Stramiello, Jeffrey Bester, Katy Chow, Charles Frey, Marques Redd



Science Team ... Warren Stramiello, Jeffrey Bester, Charles Frey, James Crawford



Math Team ... Marques Redd, Steve Fennell, Jeffrey Bester, Warren Stramiello, Charles Frey, Katy Chow, James Crawford, Carla Paschke

♦**National French Honor Society members**, Tiffany Domingos and Monica McMillan pose for a picture before returning to class. These girls really appreciate their second language and will hopefully continue their bi-lingual studies.



♦**Take your time!** Sister Rosina looks on as Sophomore Anne Hurley puts her signature in the National Honor Society's ledger. This action represents a major achievement on her part. There are strict requirements for membership.



“

I was honored to be inducted into the National Spanish Honor Society, says Jason Grizzard. I am happy to know that all of my hard work in Spanish class has led to this great accomplishment.

”

♦**Don't forget your lines!** National Junior Honor Society inductees proudly recite the society's oath and vow to uphold qualities of scholarship, service, and character. These qualities must continue to be used in their daily lives.



A Search for Excellence



National Junior Honor Society ...

C. Garofalo, S. Caulfield, J. Freeman, K. Fennell, C. Murphy, L. Holder, R. Leonard, L. LeBlanc, J. Cribb, P. Walkemeyer, S. DeLoach, E. Dessem, N. Dermatas, H. Crawford, K. Thomas, L. Gaskins, J. Nelson, B. Graham, C. Paschke, L. Wilhelm, K. Leverett, J. Leverett, K. Taylor, J. Koetter, J. Doolittle, J. Dadisman, J. Cochran, J. Paschke, C. Stefano, J. Mann, T. Tyson, S. Hatcher, T. Katner, E. Coleman, M. Redd, N. Ewing, M. Williams, K. Summers, J. Rosa, K. Wall, K. B. Tidmore, R. Collins, E. Pearce, K. Haney, S. Harrison, G. Ragonetti, J. Joe, G. Olivier



National Honor Society ...

Jennifer Puckett, Krystle Stewart, Ross Crumbley, Anne Hurley, Rebecca Merschat, Brooks Coates, Emily Andrews, Matt Hodler, Betsy Washburn, Catherine Stroupe, Tim Finney, Michelle Black, Justin Leslein, Johnny Lamb, Marquez Sams, Warren Stramiello, Bill Tice, Caitlin Hickey, Brinda Ramaiya, Carl Perazzola, Kevin Wright, Missy Arcand, Narrenar Williams, Brooke Hartley, Erica Talley, Marla Geddis, Melissa Rosa, Monica McMillan, James Crawford, Steve Fennell, Andrea Tice, Nathan Williams, Mia Armstrong, Katy Chow



National Spanish Honor Society ...

Terese McGee, Erica Talley, Kim Sarabia, Bill Tice, Mary Jo Staples, Tim Finney, Andrea Tice, Jason Grizzard, Melissa Rosa, Megan Floyd, Marla Geddis, Gigi Denson, Lena Mathis, Mia Armstrong, Sarah Mead

Smooth Moves!

♦Does my lipstick look okay?

Freshman Natalie Andrews applies necessary last minute touches before she hits center stage. She has been in three of the school's plays and is proud to be a member of the International Thespian Society.



♦This painting is my best ever!

Junior Lillie Austin concentrates hard as she paints a beautiful rose for one of her Art Honor Society assignments. She takes immense pride and respect in her ability to design a great masterpiece.



"By George, I think you've got it!" Andrew Jenkins offers his encouragement to fellow actor Brandon Jolley as he tries to get into the role as a British lawyer. Cast members of the play "Great Expectations" are very supportive of each other.



Art Honor ... Trysha Stephens, Anne Hurley, Tiffany Domingos, Paul Kirkland, Stephanie Parker, Matt DeFore



Mathis Coxon, Katy Chow, Marquez Sams, Brinda Ramaiya, Tony Wesley



"Hey, your elbow's in my way!" Stephanie Parker and Tony Wesley work diligently despite obstacles to complete art for their upcoming show.



"Lights, camera, action!" A group of Thespian actresses celebrate after another stunning performance of a one-act play.

Thespians ... Charles Frey, Missy Arcand, John Zebell, Marcos Sanchez, Brandon Jolley, Chad Green, David Grinstead, Natalie Andrews, Lesley Anne Jordan, Dennisha Vinson



Monica McMillan, Vernon Logan, Andrew Jenkins, John D. Cassidy, Kevin Wright, Kelly Dessart, Kelly Raines, Tiffany Domingos, Mike Mazza

♣ **I hope we don't get stuck!** Britton Lockhart and Turner Oppy are on their way, along with other Environmental Club members, to save the environment. Saving the environment is a big job and can sometimes lead to sticky situations.



The Environmental Club is a great group to be involved in, says Geneviere Oliver, because we all have one common interest: saving the environment. We have a lot of fun and I will definitely participate again next year.

♣ **Girls to the rescue!** Sarah Harrison, Karen Klingelhofer, and Molly Rowland prepare to combat the destructive forces which threaten to damage our environment. These girls are lean, mean, environmentally friendly, fighting machines.



Mr. Turner, Robert Zimmerman, Matt Hodler, Ben Wilhelm, Jason Koch, Barbara Copeland, Armond Power, Lee Barrineau, Philip Cheshire, Mr. Brown, Warren Stramiello, Chris Vance, Tim Price, Matt McBride, David Puryear, Ross Barrineau, Justin Downs, Vance Bumgardner, Chris Carrigan, Jenny Paschke, Kimmie Rankin, Beth Tamboli, Katie Bentley, Jennifer Blankenship, Stephanie Wilson, Catherine Stroupe, Andrew Noller, Summer Causey, Cletia Wimberly, Karen Klingelhofer, Molly Rowland



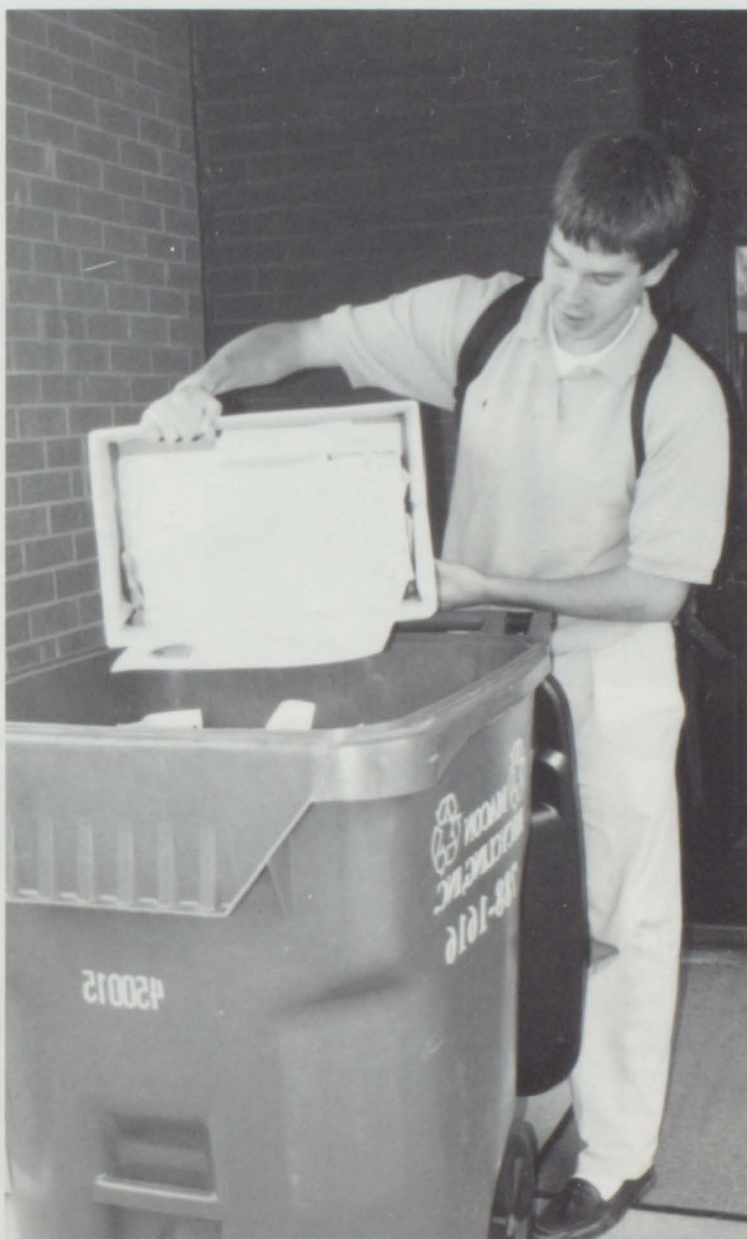
Nathan Williams, Amber Barham, Rachael Patch, Erica Arena, Britton Lockhart, Chad Folsom, Sarah Harrison, Georgia Ragonetti, Geneviere Olivier, Dennisha Vinson, Megan Floyd, Lesley Ann Jordan, Amanda Evans, Holly Dugas, Marq Sams, Sara Hill, Trish Yarbrough, Amanda Jensen, Turner Oppy, Danny Snyder, Carla Paschke, Mike Mazza, Jessica Garcia, Laura Perazzola, David Schnell, Mathis Coxon, Jeremy Wisdom, Justin Leslein, Paul Kirkland, Brennan McGoldrick, John Michael Howell

♦**We love the outdoors!** Marquez Sams and Barbara Copeland smile for a picture in the "Great Outdoors." They really like to get in touch with nature. Even though they're far away from civilization, they still know they can have fun.



♦**How long do we have to do this?** Environmental Club members take the time to smile at the camera while trying hard to improve their rowing skills. Learning to appreciate the environment is the first step to saving it.

♦**Get out of the box!** Junior David Schnell, although he is frustrated, still manages to keep smiling as he empties papers out of the recycling box. The Environmental Club does whatever it can to protect the planet we call home.



Environmental Club

"As a teacher, the environmental club, not only gave me the opportunity to interact with students outside the classroom, it also allowed me to visit local points that we, as a community, should seek to preserve."

Mr. Steven Turner

Chalking up another year

♦**Can you believe all this?** *deSales deSpatch* staff members Lesley Anne Jordan and Amanda Evans marvel over the amount of work left to accomplish before the last edition of the school newspaper is sent off to be published.



♦**This is just what the Dr. ordered!** Senior Kimmie Rankin vows to finish copying her yearbook layout before taking a well deserved break. Large amounts of caffeine are necessary for staffers to survive those late-night deadlines.



"Crop until you drop!" Junior Jessica Stinson is determined to make all of her pictures fit before she takes time out to rest from her yearbook duties. Cropping is a difficult and tedious job, but someone has to do it. Cropping enables the plant to selectively enlarge or reduce the most interesting elements to be found in a photograph. That one element that will sell the picture.



Newspaper ... Sean Caulfield, Madhu Adiga, Amanda Evans, Lesley Anne Jordan, Jennifer Nelson, Rachel Walts, Royce Collins, Crystal Roberson, David Grinstead, Vernon Logan



Warren Stramillo, Monica McMillan, Katy Chow, April Lewis, Marcos Sanchez, Erica Talley, Trysha Stephens, Brinda Ramaiya, Chad Cavender, DaVonne Bivins, Tabitha Burney



"What?! This is a great story idea!"
Brinda Ramalya and Chad Cavendar discuss over what stories to put into the newspaper. Jennifer Nelson patiently awaits their decision.



"Yearbook is your life!"
Section editor Caitlin Hickey informs her staff about the big commitment they must make. Staffers are directed to eat, sleep, and dream yearbook.

Marla Geddis, Taj Middleton, Lindsey Mummert, Corlee Blum, Johnny Lamb, Monica McMillan, Caitlin Hickey, Narreinar Williams, Jason Grizzard, Elizabeth Pearce, Jennifer Herndon, Emily Smith, Brooke Hartley, DaVonne Bivins, Lindsay Dessem



Shell Kurzen, Emily Dessem, Florence Bivins, Mary Catherine Smith, Krystle Stewart, Andrea Tice, Bill Tice, Mary Heenan, Jennifer Paschke, Carrie Frank, Katy Chow, Rebecca Mersch, Katie Mayers, Mia Armstrong

Take the First Step

♦**What do I do with all these groceries!?** Laura Wood, an eighth grade Builder's Club member, searches for the salsa to go with all those tortilla chips. This whole bag of groceries will feed a very needy family in our community.

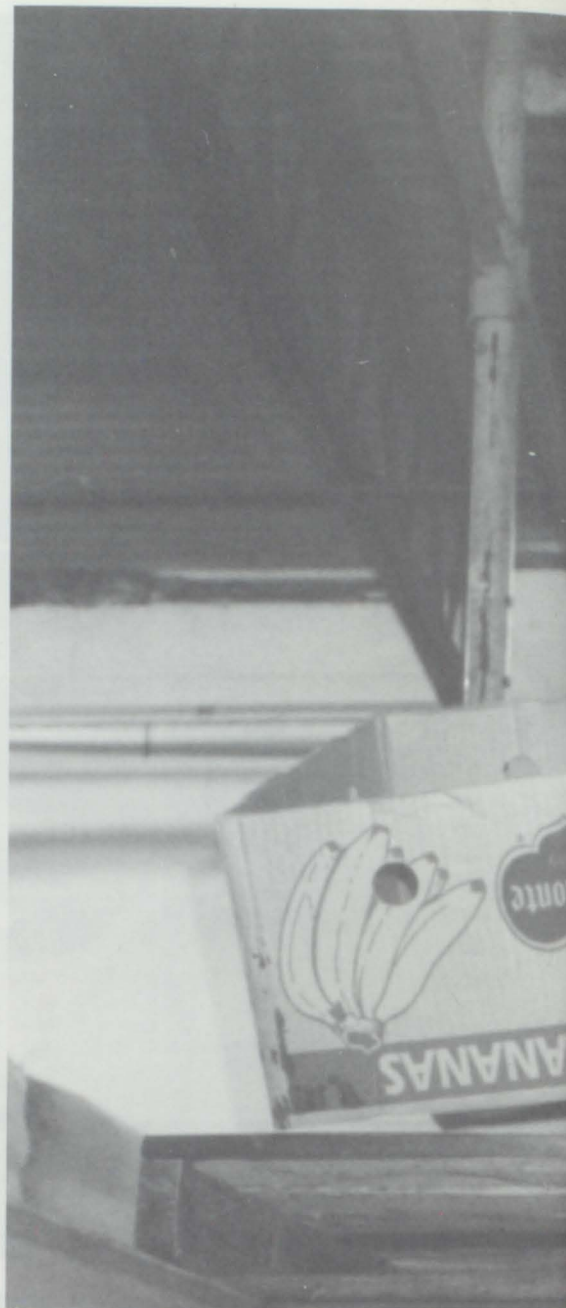


♦**Trick or Treat ... definitely Treat!** Maria Rouse and John Koetter, M. S. Student Council members, decide what to do with the candy for a Catholic School's Week activity. This candy is given in appreciation by the students.



"Hey, all of my bananas just split!"

Eighth Grader James Taylor takes a moment out of his busy schedule to pose for a picture before he rushes off to go find his disappearing produce. James is lending a helping hand to the Food Bank. As a member of the Middle School Builder's Club, a service organization, he volunteers throughout Macon.



Katie Fennell, Julia Doolittle, Whitney Glover, Katie Hatcher, Kristin Taylor, Jay-anthi Narain, Katie Horst



Hillary Lipko, Katie Leverett, Maria Rouse, Shane Stokes, Mike Lopapa, Ben Pierce, Scott Hatcher



"This is much better than changing them!"

Alan Cardwell sorts diapers for the Food Bank as one of his service projects.



Bringing a smile to children!

A group of Builder's Club members can't hide their happiness about brightening a child's day.

Jenna Schmitt, Katie Hatcher, Kristi Beall, Hillary Lipko, Brandon Hughes, Mike Lopapa, Katie Coates, Julia Doolittle, Stephanie Ely, Amy Laughter, Marquita Redd, Autumn Ethridge, Katie Horst, Jayanthi Narain, Jennifer Leverett, Katie Leverett, Sarah DeLoach, Emily Dessem



Haley Crawford, Sarah Johnson, Jessica Asbell, Blake Chapman, Laura Conway, Whitney Misch, Tabatha Roberson, Charley Oxley, Shelby Smith, Brittany Hartley, Camille Dizon, Jennifer Oliver, Alan Cardwell, Lauren Patch, James Taylor, Matt Williams, Mike Madison, Rachel Azar

So many activities and so little time! The Mount de Sales Key Club board members try to decide what activities they should add to the Key Club's "to do list". Of course, finding new projects to occupy their time is always easy.



I enjoy being a Key Club member, says sophomore Brooke Hartley. I think the club's activities give me a great opportunity to reach out to others and help them in any way I can. Serving my school and community is a fun way to make the world a better place. I can't wait until next year when I can participate in even more activities.



No, don't use green! MDS Key Club members paint posters for the 1997 Homecoming game to demonstrate spirit and encourage the football team on to victory. This is one activity that clubbers participate in to serve our school.

J. Stinson, J. Culpepper, M. B. Meadows, B. Stone, J. Koch, M. Hodler, B. Wilhelm, A. Noller, A. Lizek, M. Coxon, M. DeFore, C. Garofalo, E. Grisamore, T. O'Mahony, S. Mattox, S. Kurzen, K. Brown, K. Bentley, C. Howard, T. McCrea, K. Stewart, L. Leslie, N. Williams, R. Crumbley, M. J. Staples, S. Barton, J. Ray, K. Mayers, K. Sarabia, M. Black, M. Brown, R. Mersch, J. Garcia, A. Tice, K. Raines, B. Tamboli, E. Proctor, V. Logan, S. Wilson, K. Stroupe, D. Davidson, B. Bollinger, A. Mason



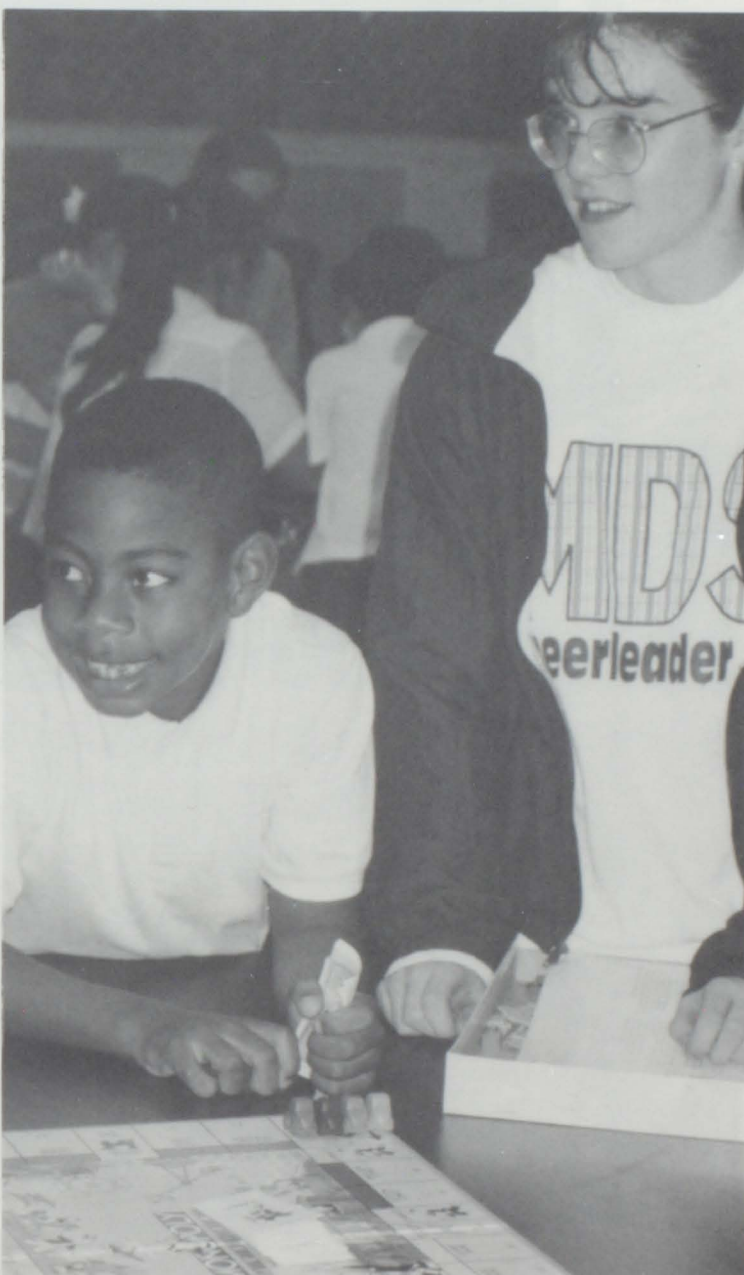
M. Armstrong, M. Sanchez, B. Ramaiya, N. Williams, K. Dessart, J. Cribb, R. Collins, B. Kersey, G. Shoup, S. Silva, C. Katner, R. Patch, M. Walters, N. Cortes, K. Hofstadter, M. Adiga, D. Grinstead, L. Reeves, B. Washburn, L. Dessem, F. McClinton, L. McClendon, C. Hickey, M. McMillan, C. Leslein, M. Rosa, W. Wimberly, T. Yarbrough, A. Cook, T. Stevens, K. Haney, J. Mann, M. Redd, M. Geddis, T. Middleton, K. Harris, L. Worrell, A. Lewis, D. Carswell, C. Paschke, J. Paschke, D. Schnell, L. Perazola

Read a book; open your mind! Juniors Shell Kurzen and Suzanne Mattox express enthusiasm as they organize books for the Friends of the Library Old Book Sale. This annual event is an opportunity to buy great literature at low prices.



OK, one more picture! Ben Washburn and Katie Thomason, attending a Key Club dance, pause for the camera. The dance, sponsored to raise funds for Iodine Deficiency Disorder, was a very successful undertaking and actually made \$324.

Collect \$200! Carla Paschke, taking time out of her busy cheerleading schedule, gladly plays Monopoly with a student at St. Peter Claver School. This "play-time" is a reward for the kids, who have worked hard in their classes.



Key Club

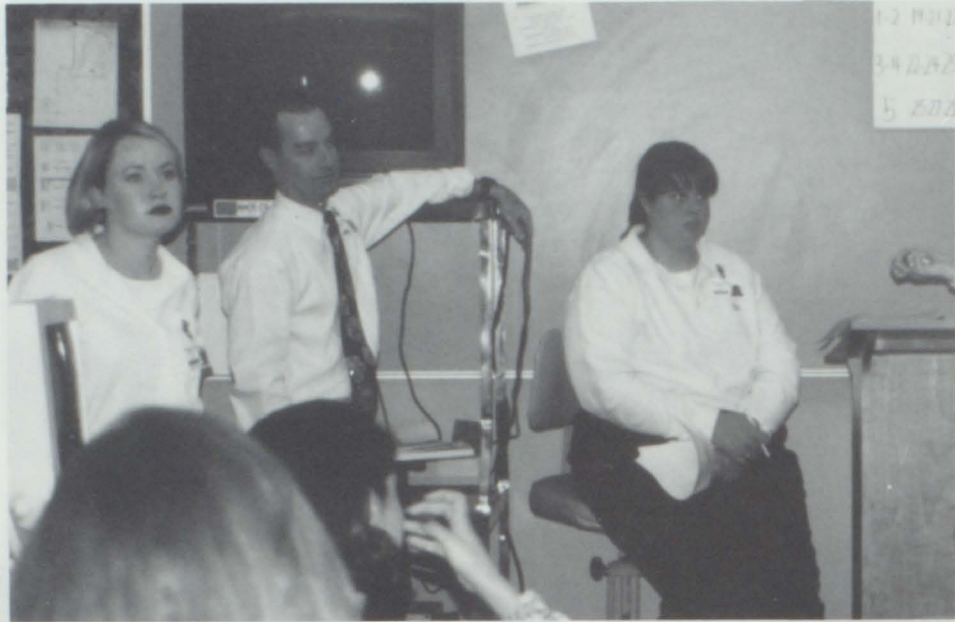


♦**Good morning Mr. Sunshine!** Student Council moderator, Mr. Midkiff watches the meeting while Trish Yarbrough and Elizabeth Chapman look on in bewilderment. Sometimes weekly Student Council meetings can take a toll on members.



I enjoy being a Student Council member. It gives me an opportunity to learn about my school and to voice my classmates' opinions. *Sean Caulfield*

What in the world! Some of the craziest ideas come up in open Student Council meetings in the Library. Officers Dennis Matovu and Matt Hodler laugh over suggestions for hour long lunches.



Sarah Harrison, Sean Caulfield, Lucy Crosby, Sherry Long, Bradley McClung, Royce Collins, Trish Yarbrough, Vernon Logan, Beth Tamboli, Mike Kusar, Kerry McLaurin, Vari Brown, Michael Walton, Edward Kendrick, Mathis Coxon, Matt Hodler, Lindsey Mummert



Marla Geddis, Lanier Sammons, Jeannie Logan, Zack Dadisman, Adam Koetter, Carrie Frank, Alexis Mason, Summer Causey, Brandon Jolley, Taj Middleton, Dennis Matovu, Jana Mann, Leslie Witherington, Trysha Stephens, Kimmie Rankin, Corlee Blum, Elizabeth Chapman, David Schnell

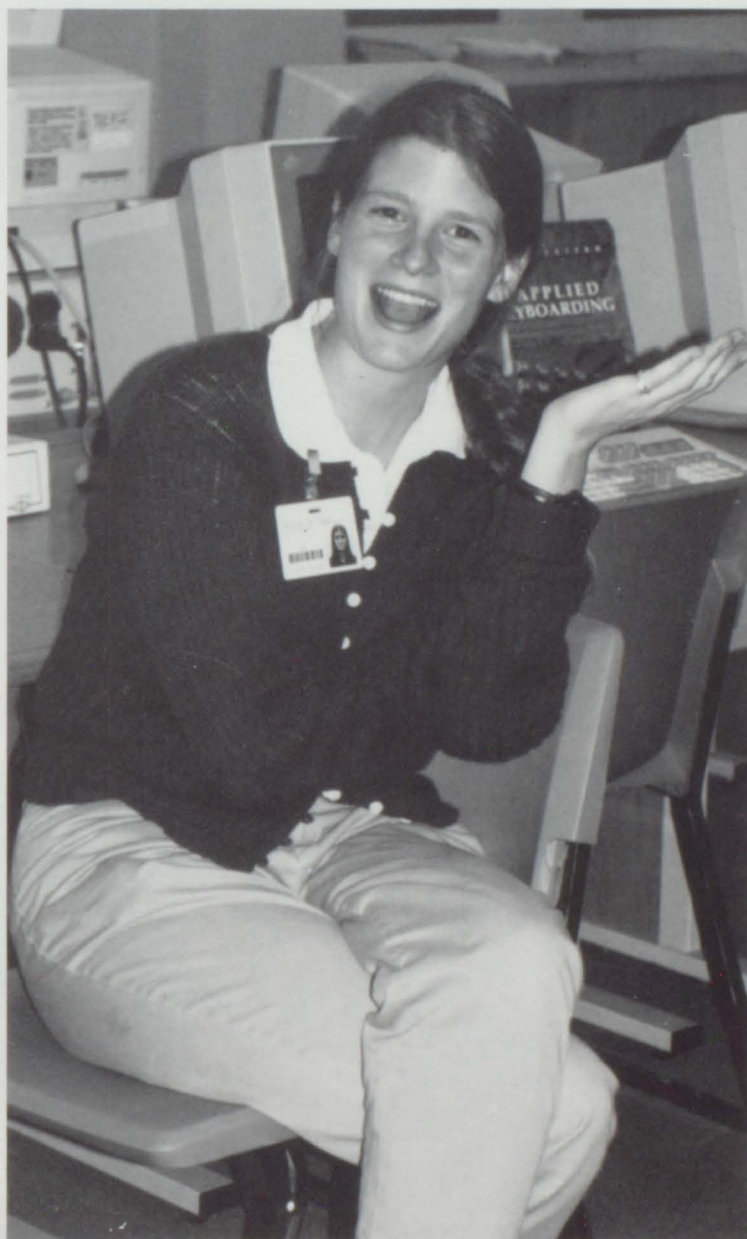


Welcome to the Wild West! Student Council members Beth Tamboli, Brandon Jolley, and Taj Middleton eagerly decorate our campus for the 1997 Homecoming celebration, helping everyone get into the mood to "rope them dawgs!"



♦**That's a cool idea; I wish I had thought of it!** Zack Dadisman, Mathis Coxon, Adam Keotter, and Edward Kendrick show genuine interest for all the ideas brought up in their meetings. And why shouldn't they, MDS is their school.

♦**What do I do now?** Carrie Frank takes a light-hearted approach to the never-dying responsibility of a Mount de Sales Student Council member. In order to be one, you must be chosen by your peers and also invest countless long hours.



Student Council



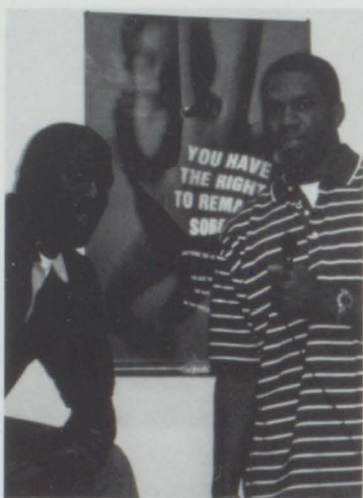
♦**I got one!** Mike Kusar prepares to ask a question at a Student Council meeting, as Taj Middleton and Ben Wilhelm watch attentively. These meetings are a way for students to voice their ideas and make MDS a school for the students.

The Mark of a Cavalier

♦**This way please!** Melissa Rosa and Krystle Stewart show new-comers around the campus. These tours promote MDS and encourage student body growth. Ambassadors are the first to meet new families and usually make a lasting impression.



♦**Don't drink and drive!** SADD officers, Edward Kendrick and Kerry McLaurin warn about the dangers of alcohol and drug abuse. While substance abuse is nothing to laugh about, they always have a wacky way of getting their point across.



"I didn't realize..." Mayor Marshall and LaTonya McClendon discuss the devastating affects that drinking can have on teenagers. Each year SADD sponsors a Prom Promise activity in which students pledge not to drink or do drugs on Prom Night.



SADD ... Kevin Wright, Tony Wesley, Kerry McLaurin, Edward Kendrick, Jane Wooley, Trysha Stephens, Kim Sarabia, Christina Clark, LaKeesa Butler



LaTonya McClendon, DaVonne Bivins, Tabitha Burney, Jennifer Van, Erica Arena, Beth Vance, Sarah Mead, Johnny Lamb, Melissa Rosa



"This is the best school!"
Mia Armstrong points out the good qualities of MdS to the parents of a future Cavalier.



"This is our dream of fields!"
Jessie Rosa and Amber Barham discuss the future plans of the site to a potential MDS student.

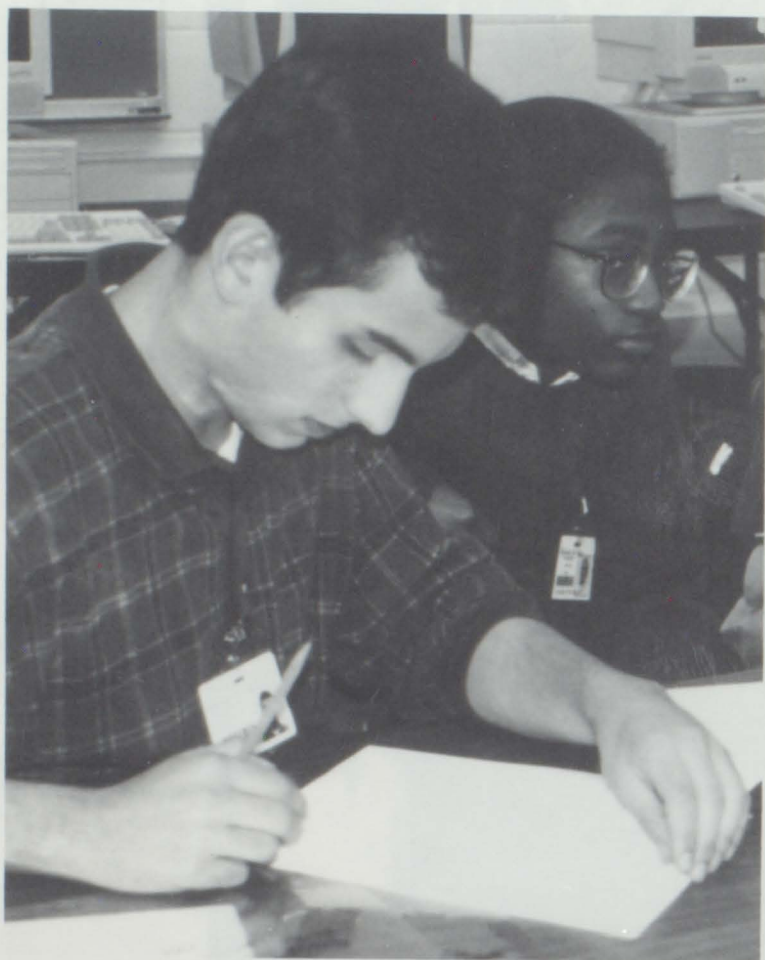
Cavalier Ambassadors ...

Mary Beth Meadows, Barbara Copeland, Jeanie Logan, Mike Mazza, Edward Kendrick, Matt Hodler, Kerry McLaurin, Sean Caulfield, Mia Armstrong, Kim Sarabia, Michelle Black, Melanie Brown, Rebecca Merschat, Andrea Tice, Beth Tamboli, Lillie Austin, Jennifer Blankenship, Stephanie Wilson, Carrie DeLoach, Amber Barham, Jim Hitchcock, Lucy Crosby, Lesley Anne Jordan, Brinda Ramaiya, Narreinar Williams, Kelly Dessart, Royce Collins, Mary Heenan, Ross Crumbley, Krystle Stewart,



Natalie Cortes, Erica Arena, Britton Lockhart, Carlos Denson, Kirk Davenport, Rebecca Stokes, David Grinstead, Elizabeth Coleman, Fareeda McClinton, LaTonya McClendon, Stephanie Parker, Gigi Denson, Christina Leslein, Melissa Rosa, Kelly Wall, Trish Yarbrough, Amanda Jensen, Katie Mayers, Trysha Stephens, Keri Beth Tidmore, Kate Haney, Jana Mann, Elizabeth Chapman, Laura Perazzola, David Schnell, Jonathan Blankenship, Beth Vance, Sherry Long, Jennifer Van

♦**This one sounds good!** Marcos Sanchez and Candace Harrington review material to be used in the Literary Magazine. They have the important task of deciding what pieces will best exemplify the diverse talent of the MDS student body.



♦**Wow, what a fantastic rebuttal!** Novice debater, Jonathan Ducote, watches veteran Rebecca Merchat's every move and admires her technique and skill. Debaters work diligently to determine the opposing team's strategies and weaknesses.



"Moot court had to practice for 3 months, 3 times a week," says Sophomore Chrissy Waterman. "It was fun learning about lawyers and their profession. I enjoyed being a witness and, even though we placed second, I think we did well for our first year. Participating on the moot trial team was a great experience for me!"

♦**Trust me on this one!** Junior Eric Hogue and Sophomore Marques Redd, two of the Moot Court team members, point out key facts that will break their case wide open. Mock trials are wonderful ways to learn about courtroom procedures.



Only the Finest!



Debate ... Chad Cavendar, Warren Stramiello, Marques Redd, Royce Collins, Carl Merschat, Rebecca Merschat, Amy Faircloth, Vernon Logan



Tapestry ... Marcos Sanchez, Evan Demere, Elizabeth Chapman, Vernon Logan, Liz Pearce, Beth Tamboli, Monica McMillian, Candace Harrington



Moot Court ... Warren Stramiello, Marques Redd, Ross Crumbley, Chris Howard, Kelley Dessart, Chrissy Waterman, Kim Sarabia, Brandon Jolley

Our Rainbow of dreams

What a **WILD** bunch! Student life at MdS has *always* been exciting. From **STRONG** friendships to the exhilaration of *prom* night, the students here are never at a loss for having **fun**. This year the student body saddled up and headed **WEST** during our annual Homecoming celebration. And prom was fabulous with a "Castles" theme. **CAMPUS** activities were numerous and students really had the chance to get *involved*. From drama and sports to publications and service clubs,

MdS was never standing still.

♦ "You are in the wild west now and you have to play by my rules." Eighth graders, Tabitha Roberson and Laura Conway try to decide which one of them has the best outfit and which one will win for the DRESS-UP day during Homecoming Week.

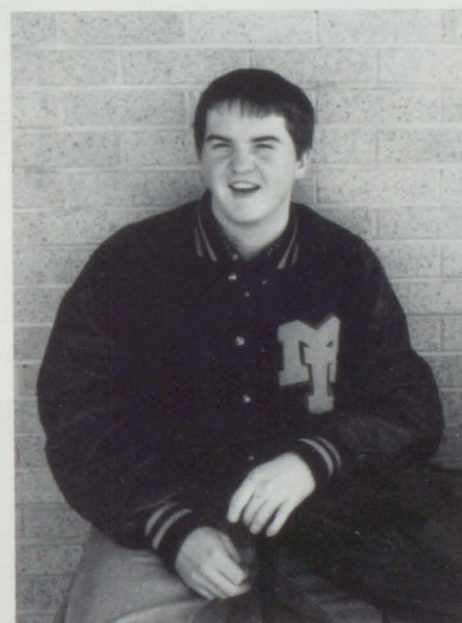


◆ "I am trying to hold my head up and keep my eyes open. I need SLEEP!" Freshman class member, Carmen Bell tries her best to stay alert and pay attention in the last class of the day. It has been a long day, but it is almost over!



◆ "We make A spirit SANDWICH!" School spirit, a close friendship, and some blue and gold; hold the pickles. Nothing gets better than this. Laura Perazzola, Keely Stanley and Melissa Rosa demonstrate that MdS pride.

◆ "Look at these cool TOYS. We bet they will make some kids very happy!" Nathan Williams and Jonathan Akin admire the toys that they volunteered to box up at St. Joseph's Church during the Christmas season.



◆ "There's nothing like an out of dress code day to make your HEART smile." Chad Cavender is happy to comply as he chills and gives his camera a chance to cool down after a hard day getting those newspaper photos.

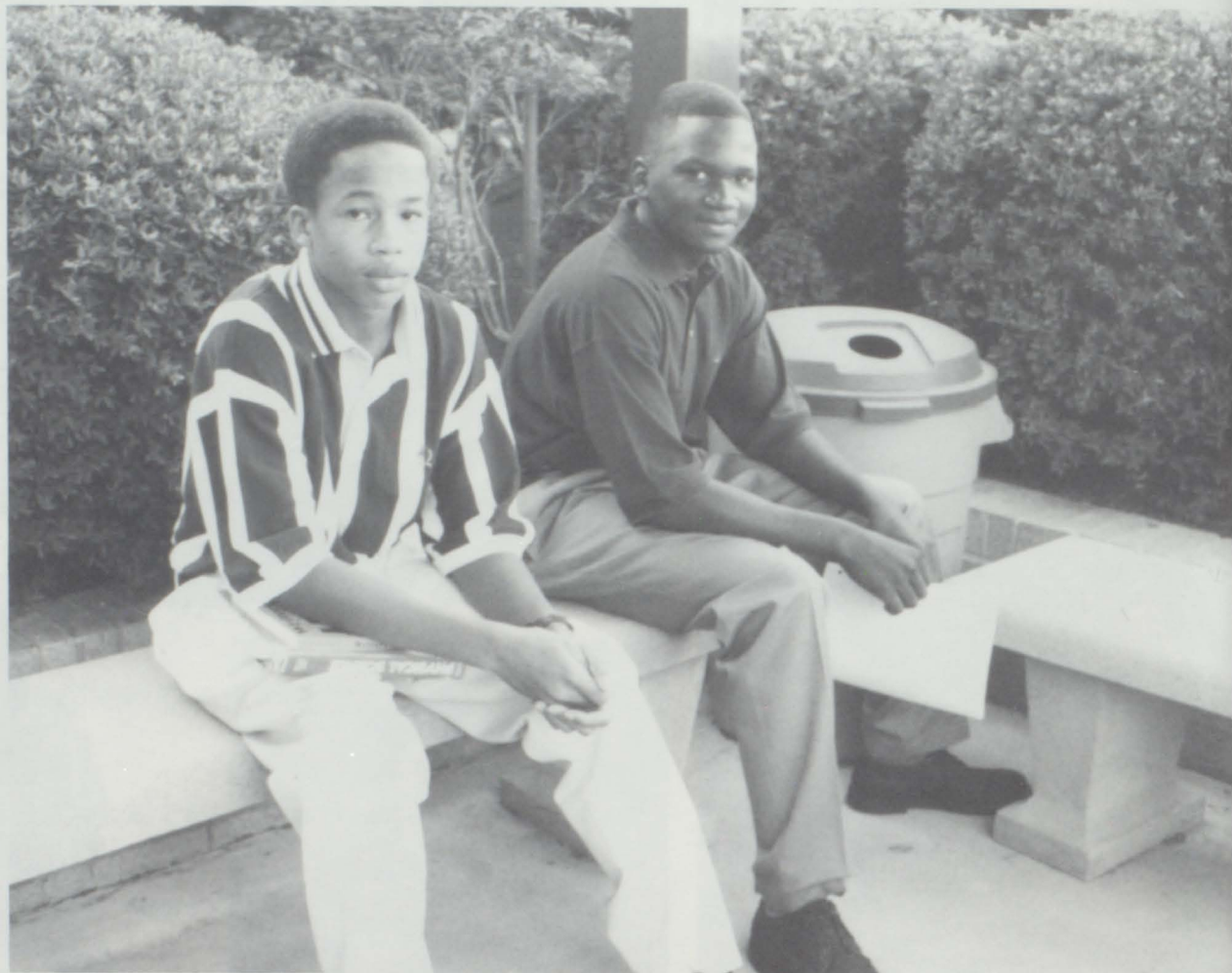


◆ "My parents were so kind to bring me this delicious sandwich, these wonderful chips, and this refreshing drink!" Eighth grader Ryohei Matsumoto enjoys the parent picnic during HOMECOMING week this year.



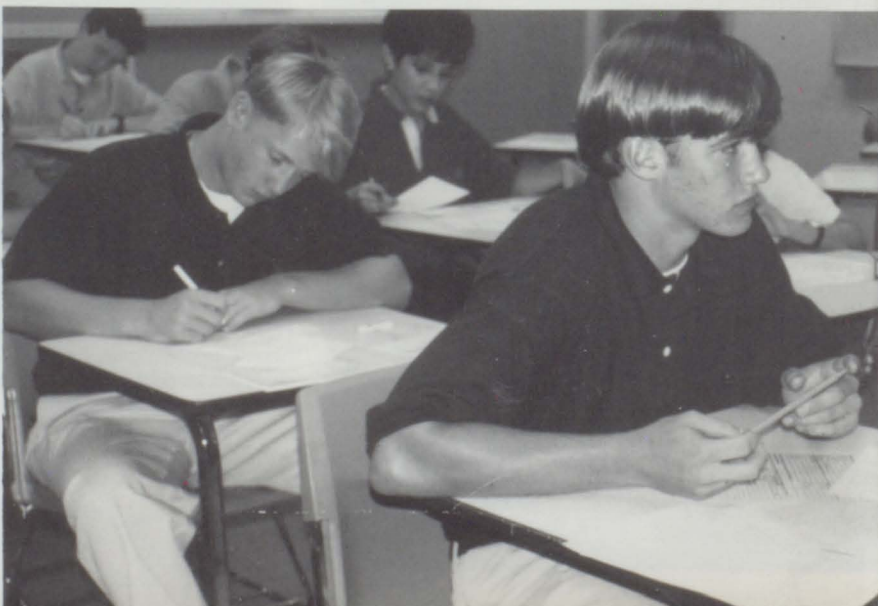
Wild Beginnings

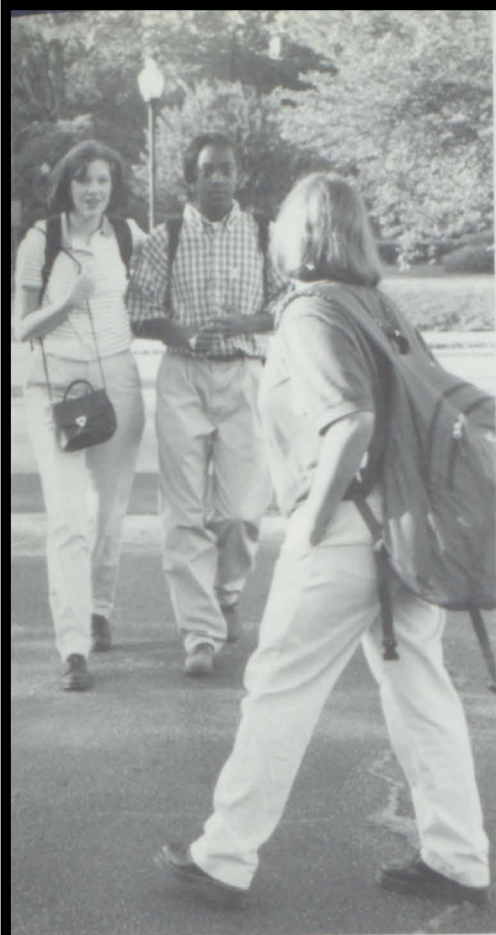
"Put your right foot in; put your right foot out." Nathan Williams, Edward Kendrick, John Tripp, and Michael Walton entertain the crowds at the BACK-TO-SCHOOL BASH. Everyone had a great time at the annual school dance which always provides students with a time of good music, good friends and good fun.



Freshmen Ben Johnston and John Norfleet take a break to catch their breath after the walk from Grey Cottage to Sheridan Hall. Like most students, they have had a very long and HECTIC first week back at school filled with NEW faces, OLD friends, and a lot of work. But that's what school is all about, right?

Juniors Robert Snider and Glenn Shelby are filling out their registration FORMS on the first day of school. It is a long and often tedious process, but they can do it. Not only do students have to fill out these kinds of FORMS, but they also have to turn them all in on time and that's the hard part!





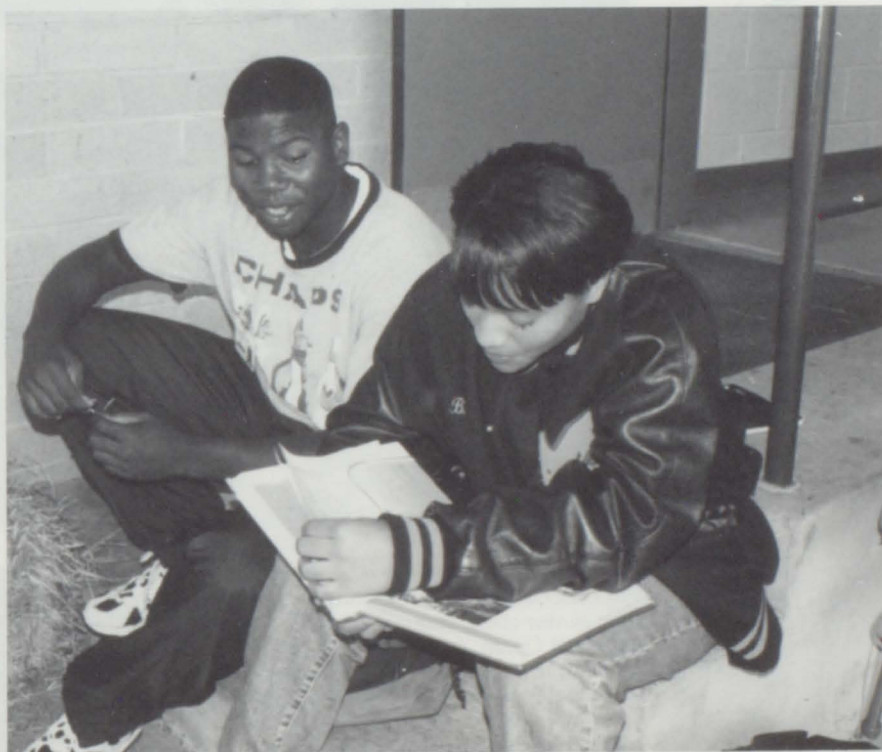
♦ "Is that Jessica Deeb?" Sophomores Tabitha LeMaster and Ninita McCan sport a PUZZLED look as they see their friend for the first time since last year. During the summer, people often change a great deal. Whether it's a new haircut, a fabulous tan or a brighter disposition, remember...different is good!



♦ What is the best way to kill time while waiting to have your picture taken on the first day of school? Practice your SMILE of course! These four freshmen will be happy to show you those MDS pearly whites for the camera. Picture taking by Macon photographer, Bill Meriweather is a yearly activity.

TOP TEN USES FOR I.D. CARDS

10. FRISBEE
9. SHOE HORN
8. CLEAN YOUR FINGERNAILS
7. GINSU KNIFE (FREE BAG OF ONIONS)
6. BUG SCRAPER
5. PICKING YOUR TEETH
4. COVER ONE EYE DURING EYE EXAM
3. ACCESSORY ~ GOES WELL WITH KHAKI
2. STRAIGHT EDGE IN MATH
1. ASK MR. MERMANN



♦ Once summer is over and school starts, students must adapt to things like waking up before dawn and putting in contacts when they're blind. Next is deciding which shade of khaki pants to wear: olive, stone, or sand? And don't forget HOMEWORK. Tabitha Burney and Ben Hubbard try to get back in the routine.

Wild Wild West

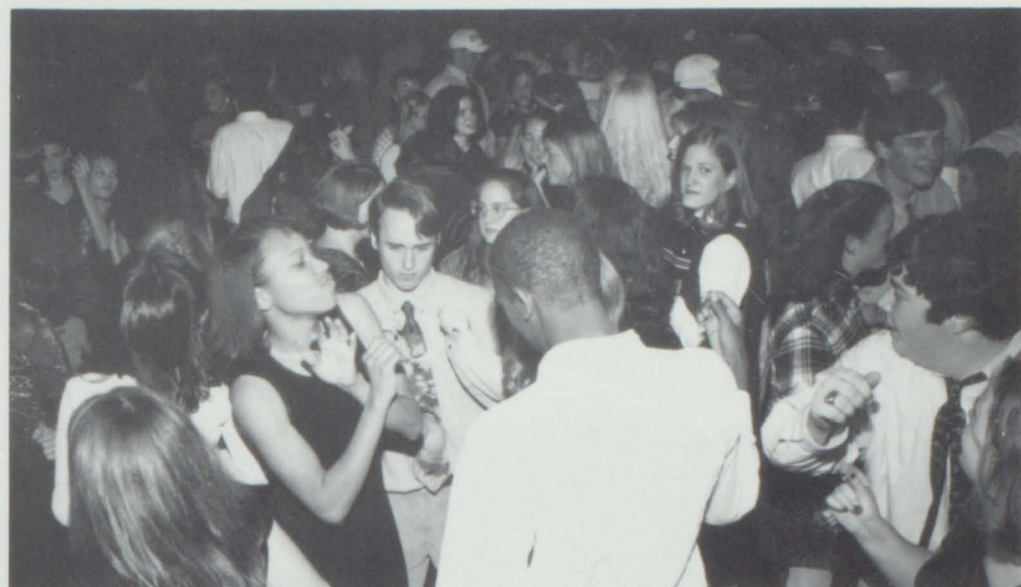
"Not all cows are created equal!" These five sophomores are proud to have the half-man, half-cow represent their CLASS COWBOY in the BUILD-A-COWBOY competition. Each grade competes to make the most creative masterpiece resembling the theme. The winner receives points toward the week-long class competitions.



"Never seen prettier cowgirls!" The HOMECOMING COURT, chosen by the senior class, stands with newly crowned Queen, Angie Cook. Each of these lovely ladies was escorted to the center of the field by her father and patiently awaited the presentation of the crown by last year's Homecoming Queen, Wendy Hatcher.

"All Hail The King!" Marquez Sams smiles and bows his head as senior moderator Mrs. Skinner bestows on him the honor of being the 1997 HOMECOMING KING. He was chosen from the six elected candidates on the Homecoming Court. The crowning ceremony was held during the dance held at the end of Homecoming Week.





Queen candidate Monica McMillan is escorted to the stage by Kerry McLaurin to be presented with her Homecoming sash and Indian headdress by the senior boys. All eyes are on them as they walk arm-in-arm across the gym. Monica is excited and surprised about learning that she is a Homecoming QUEEN candidate.

The Homecoming DANCE seems to be a popular spot. Several students break out of their shell and become dare devils on the floor. Dennisha Vinson is one girl who is the center of attention as she dances on the gym floor. Others watch, hoping to learn a few steps that might put them in the spotlight, too.

PAST HOMECOMING THEMES

1985 ~ HAPPY DAYS
1986 ~ MONSTERS
1988 ~ WELCOME TO THE JUNGLE
1989 ~ GO WEST
1991 ~ YE MERRY DAYS OF OLDE
1992 ~ MAGIC AT MDS
1993 ~ WELCOME TO THE ISLANDS
1994 ~ 1950's
1995 ~ ANCIENT GREECE
1996 ~ MONSTER MASH
1997 ~ WILD, WILD WEST



Elizabeth Chapman and Barbara Copeland have roped their cow, Jeanie Logan, in Sheridan Hall. They are dressed up for HOMECOMING. While Jeanie wears a sign requesting people to eat more chicken, Elizabeth and Barbara are wearing their finest Western dress. The girls will enter the final costume competition.

Wild Wild West

"Get ready for a cutie, it's the LITTLE RANGER!!" Krystal Stewart lovingly holds the nephew of her friend Ninita McCan. Each year, students anticipate the parent lunch as one of many Homecoming week festivities. This time brings a chance for bonding with family members and tasty food.



"Just like an old WESTERN movie!" These junior girls, Shell Kurzen, Jessica Stinson, and Rebecca Stokes, are having a blast. HOMECOMING offers a chance for the artistically inclined to express the theme through wonderful costumes they created. Points are awarded to the best costume in several categories.

Christy Burress steals the ball from her coach, Marq Sams as they practice for the FLAG FOOTBALL game. This new activity, powder puff football, was started this year as part of homecoming activities. Many girls from each grade level represented strength and endurance. Who said they can't tackle and throw?





"BOZO THE CLOWN" also known as junior Taj Middleton brightens a little boy's day during the Homecoming Rodeo. Students participated in events like the Pony Express, Calf Roping, and Barrel Racing. After the Rodeo, students gathered around the annual Bonfire. The cheerleaders roused the crowd with cheers.

These twelve seniors were elected by their class for the 1997 Homecoming Court. The names, after weeks of eager anticipation, were announced during the SENIOR BOYS SKIT. The student body gathered in the gym to watch the skit by senior boys. At the week's end, the Homecoming Queen and King were announced.

WHAT WAS YOUR FAVORITE PART OF HOMECOMING?

"ALL THE NEAT AND DIFFERENT COSTUMES" ~SARA STIFF

"MEETING NEW PEOPLE"

~TANIA NIX

"THE DANCE"

~MICHAEL FLANDERS

"THE GAME"

~JASON BONEY



Edward Kendrick, Jeremy Wisdom, and Mike Kusar have high hopes of finding WIM-EN for the Homecoming Dance. They traveled out West to see if Kerry McLaurin could solve their relationship problems and find them dates. These senior students performed a comical skit to introduce the women for Queen candidates.

Service With a Smile

Three Middle Schoolers, Drew Crawford, John Kipe and Brandon Melton, enjoy their break. The Middle School has a break each day in addition to lunch. It is a time for them to RELAX, enjoy the company of their friends, have a snack, and have a breath of fresh air before throwing themselves into classwork.



Lunch is a time for studying, talking, friends and lunch. Edward Kendrick helps Johnny Lamb finish her difficult physics lab while he tries to read the sports page. Carlos Denson and Sara Hill SHARE a yummy chocolate dessert provided for the students by the faculty and staff for Student Appreciation Day.

Keely Stanley, Erica Arena, and Genevieve Olivier participate in an Environmental Club function TOGETHER. New experiences give friends opportunities to grow and learn together. The Environmental Club's clean up enabled them to contribute in a positive way to our world and at the same time have fun together.





Whether it is a smile or a big hug, friends know what to do to brighten your day. Friendships are often formed through activities such as academic teams, sports or school publications. Two of our cheerleaders, Stephanie Parker and Krystle Stewart know how it feels to have a GOOD FRIEND when you need one.

Life would not be as much fun without our friends to keep us company. These seniors have spent years together as classmates and friends. Although their senior year is coming to a close, the MEMORIES of long talks over lunch, smiles in passing through the halls and running from class to class will continue.

FRIENDS SURVEY

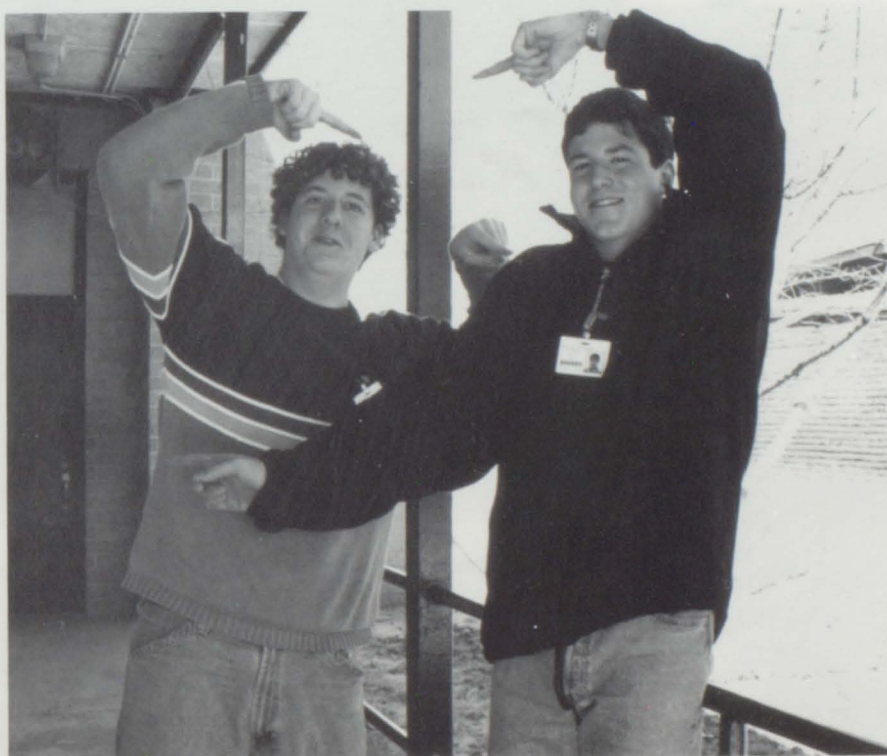
26 % OF SOPHOMORES DEPEND ON THEIR FRIENDS FOR ADVICE.

21 % OF SENIORS HAVE FRIENDS OF THE OPPOSITE SEX.

24 % OF FRESHMAN HAVE FRIENDS OF THE SAME SEX.

77 % OF FRIENDS IN THE JUNIOR CLASS HAVE HAD A CRUSH ON THE SAME PERSON.

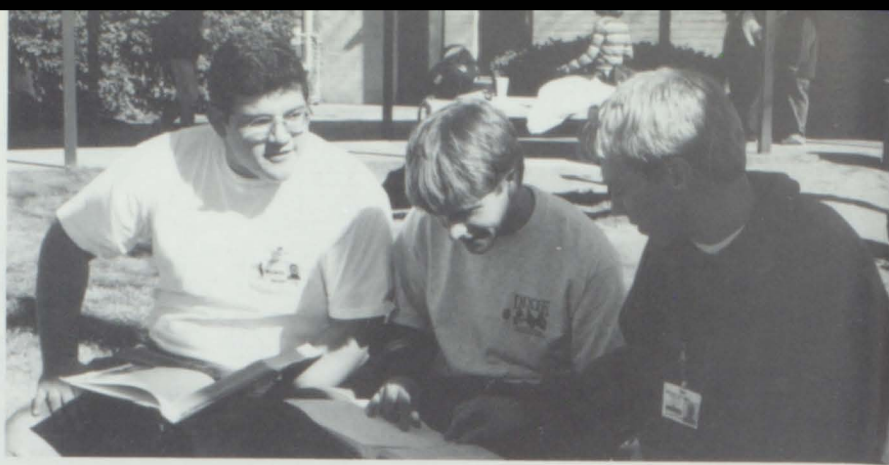
THE FIVE BEST QUALITIES IN A FRIEND ARE HONESTY, TRUST, GOOD LISTENER, GOOD SENSE OF HUMOR, AND UNDERSTANDING.



"It wasn't me. It was him, I promise!!" Smiling mischeviously, these two juniors, Stefano Danese and Bradley McClung SHARE the blame when caught in the act of being close classmates but even closer friends. There is nothing in the world like a good friend with whom to have loads of fun and explore life.

Wild and Crazy Kids

Helping your friends UNDERSTAND homework is an important part of friendship. You know that they will return the favor when you can't "get" scarcity or Punnett squares. Jeremy Wisdom tries to help Ben Wilhem and Mike Kusar with their frustrating economics as they diligently study for their upcoming test.



"All Work And No Play" These four CHEERFUL middle- schoolers are working very hard to make candy bags for their teachers on Teacher Appreciation Day. This is one of the many activities that the Middle School Student Council participates in to show that they care about their school and the student body.

BZZZZ!BZZZZ! Mr. Turner, be careful with that chain saw! Mr. Scott Turner is trying to be very careful as he participates in cleaning up the Ocmulgee Indian Mounds. It was one of the various volunteer activities that the Environmental Club is ACTIVELY involved in to help clean up the environment.





Computer whiz to the rescue! Senior Chad Cavender helps a resident of the Villas Nursing Home learn more about computer technology. Students and faculty at Mt. de Sales volunteered their free time to teach a course in computer usage. The older community was THANKFUL for Cavalier KINDNESS.

Now we know who had the sweet tooth! Junior Jeffrey Crumbley extremely enjoyed the delicious treats cooked up by our own Mt. de Sales faculty. Mr. Mermann and Mr. Midkiff were just two of the big smiles behind Catholic Schools week. Not only teachers, but students also, enjoyed a day of APPRECIATION.

WHO CARES?

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

FOR TEENS IN MACON:

MACON FOOD BANK

RAINBOW CENTER~ HELPS

AIDS PATIENTS

HOSPICE~ EASES THE PAIN OF
THE TERMINALLY ILL

MOTHER AND CHILD MINISTRY~

PROVIDES NECESSITIES TO

YOUNG FAMILIES

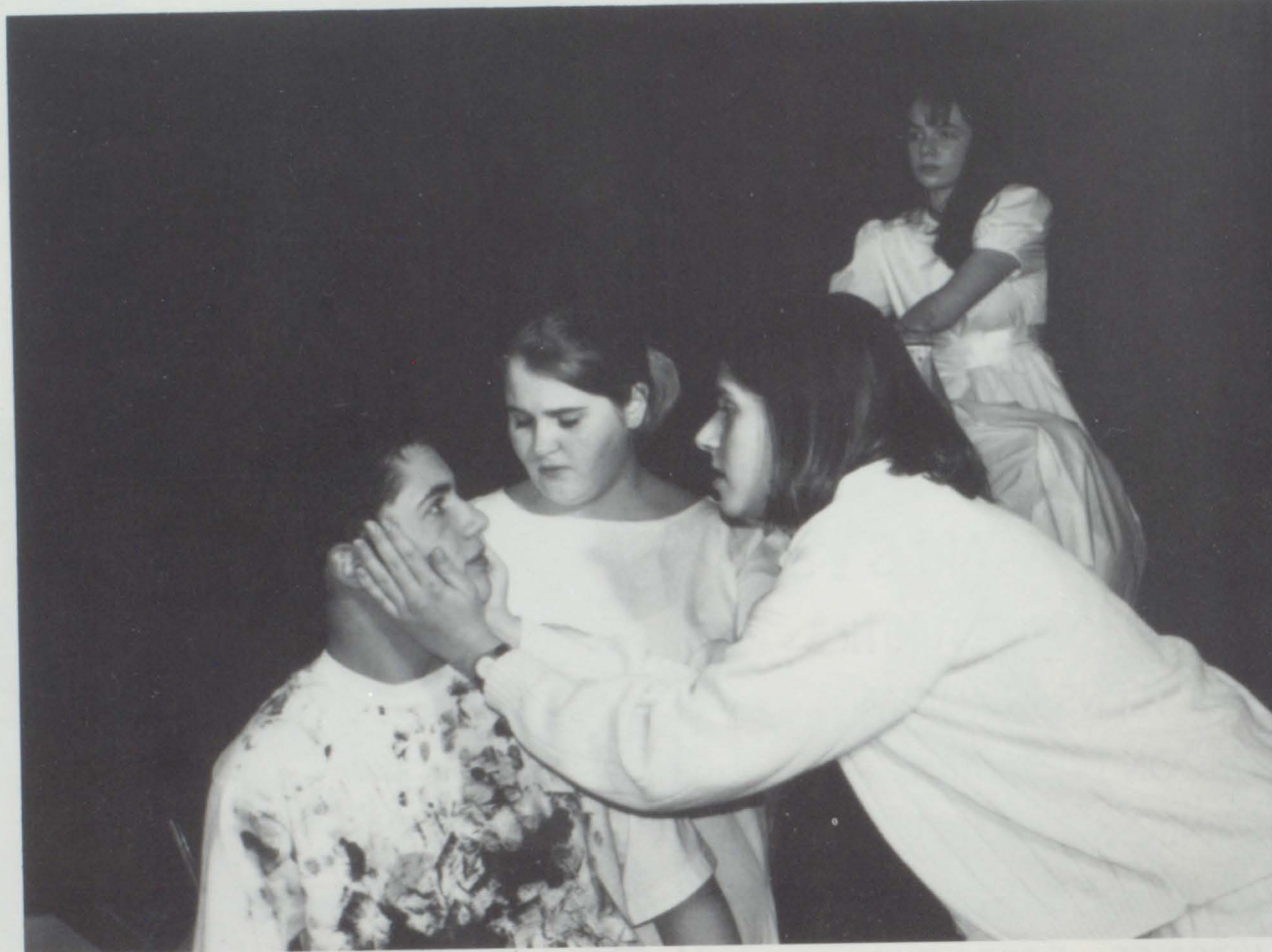
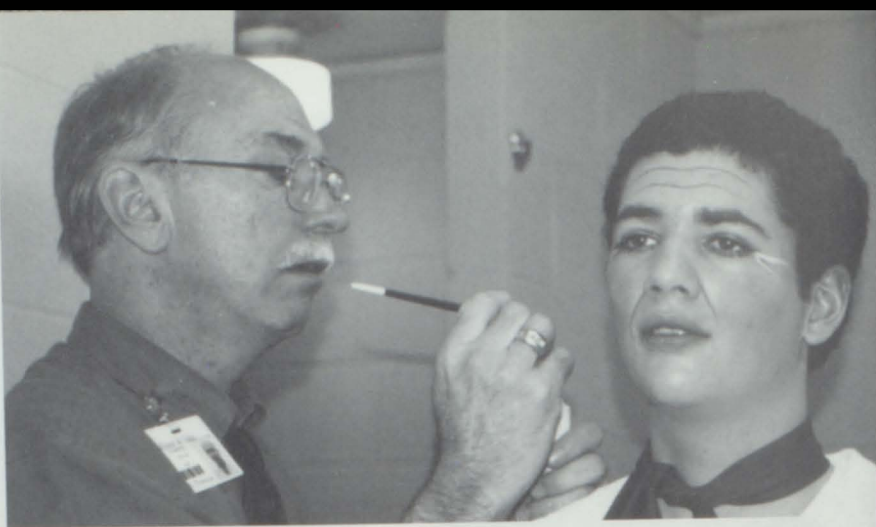
USE YOUR IMAGINATION



Painting the day away! Jessica Stinson and Sandra Barton use their artistic skills and Key Club DEVOTION to create lively banners. These signs help spark spirit in the football team, and the Cavalier fans, as they burst through the banners. School spirit, and a caring community certainly promote victory.

A World of Difference

"It's SHOWTIME!" Mr. Freeman, the drama director, puts the finishing touches on junior Andrew Jenkins's makeup. As showtime nears, the cast and crew of *White Room of My Remembering* are in a hurry to make sure everything is in place. Their upcoming opening night performance is going to be a smashing hit.



"Poppa, it's your daughter!" In this touching scene of the play, *White Room of My Remembering*, Andrew Jenkins portrays a father who is suffering from memory loss. Tiffany Domingos plays the daughter who is GRIEF-STICKEN when she realizes that her Poppa does not remember her after a long absence from home.

"Good evening to you all!" John Zebell was exceptionally SPLENDID as he displayed the curiosity and wonderment of Pip's character, a young orphan boy, in the Dickens classic *Great Expectations*. David Grinstead, Tiffany Domingos, and Andrew Jenkins sit and eagerly listen to Pip's highly animated monologue.





"Of course the LEMON MERINGUE PIE you made is exquisite!" Sophomore John Zebell manages to keep a straight face as he attempts to appreciate the culinary creation made by Freshman Jennifer Webb's character in "White Room of My Remembering." The play was presented by the Troubadors in the cafetorium.

Dinner for two! Kevin Wright and Marcos Sanchez really take their performances seriously. Both actors have been in a number of productions, including "Once on This Island" and "The Diviners". We are PRIVILEGED to have such talented actors. The Troubadors practice for weeks rehearsing for their big night.

MDS TROUBADOURS

ANYONE CAN JOIN THIS ORGANIZATION OF ACTORS. THEY'VE BEEN IN EXISTENCE SINCE 1926 AND HAVE PERFORMED 6 PLAYS. THE DIVINERS, A WOMAN CALLED TRUTH, ONCE ON THIS ISLAND, GREAT EXPECTATIONS, WHITE ROOM OF MY REMEMBERING, AND PIPPIN.



The many faces in the ACTING WORLD! Pictured is the cast of the one act play "Great Expectations." This lively group of actors and stage hands doesn't hesitate to give an animated pose for the camera. Though hours of grueling practice may be in their schedules, a smile is sure to shine on their faces.

Break A Leg

The first Cultural Awareness Week celebration at MDS afforded students and faculty the opportunity to learn about other cultures. To conclude the week's activities, a FASHION SHOW displaying clothing from various countries was held. Mr. Garvin and Kim Sarabia represent Japan in traditional Japanese kimonos.



Representing the country of Ireland, the Irish Ribbon Dancers performed a traditional Irish jig involving the braiding and unbraiding of ribbons in colors of the Irish flag. Other aspects of the CULTURAL AWARENESS PROGRAM included a variety of folk songs and dances by the many countries' representatives.

As part of Cultural Awareness Week, students appeared on the daily morning announcements with interesting facts about the dating customs, school systems, traditions and holidays of different cultures. "We are the World" was performed by these five students to emphasize the importance of WORLD HARMONY.





More graceful than a swan! Senior DaVonne Bivins is one to please the crowds. She loves to share her talent of dancing not only with Mt. De Sales, but also in celebration of Cultural Awareness Day. Here she is beginning the moves of a traditional AFRICAN DANCE. Another gorgeous performance done by DaVonne!

February offers a chance for all people to APPRECIATE the DIVERSITY that is apparent in our society and especially in our school. Ninth grader Erica Johnson sings, beautifully, "Joyful, Joyful" to the student body and faculty in honor of the many cultures represented in our 650 person student body.

CULTURAL AWARENESS

"DONDE ESTA LA CASA DE PEPE?"
WHERE IS PEPE'S HOUSE?

"JE PENSE, DONC
JE SUIS."

I THINK THEREFORE I AM.

"HAAGEN~DAAS"
VERY GOOD ICE CREAM



A taste of the orient! Sophomores Alyson Pohl and Jessie McCarren, and Junior Emily Andrews are representing the country of China. The three girls practiced faithfully in order to display a dance typical of CHINESE TRADITION. The Mt. De Sales crowd was quite taken with the fun costumes and lively music.

Pippin: A Musical

Our music director, Mrs. Washburn, senior Lisa Reeves and sophomore Marques Redd provide the musical interludes and atmosphere for each scene. Those who work BEHIND THE SCENES aren't always recognized for their dedication but the audience and cast know that the play would not be the same without them.



As the final scene, the GRAND FINALE has to be dynamic, leaving the audience with a smile on their faces and good memories to take home with them. The cast of *Pippin* came onstage for one last song and delivered an amazing performance, rounding out not only the musical but also MDS theater for this year.

Behind those masks are the faces of great actors and actresses, working together to produce what would become one of the most memorable plays of the year. The opening act of *PIPPIN* gave the audience a glimpse of what grand journey awaited them and introduced the characters who would serve as their guides.





In a major scene of the musical, CHARLEMAGNE, played by Jesse Fortson, is praying and his son, Pippin, approaches him, prepared to stab him. Charlemagne dies and Pippin becomes king. During his reign, King Pippin discovers that being the ruler of a large kingdom is not as fun as he thought it would be.

After countless hours of practicing the song and the dance moves, Catherine, played by Kelly Dessart, and members of the chorus finally have the chance to perform before a live audience. This was the first drama performance for many of the chorus members. They have joined the growing club of TROUBADORS.

PIPPIN CAST LIST

LEAD PLAYER~ NATALIE ANDREWS
PIPPIN~ BEN JONES
CHARLES~ JESSE FORTSON
FASTRADA~ KELLY RAINES
BERTHA~ MISSY ARCAND
CATHERINE~ KELLY DESSART
LEWIS~ DAVID BRENNAMAN
THEO~ SPENCER STULL



KING PIPPIN begins his reign with a series of proclamations. At the request of his subjects and at the prompting of the Lead Player, he takes them all back. Before becoming king, he was only concerned with gaining power. Now that he is king, Pippin handles the responsibilities of his new position poorly.

Castles in Moonlight

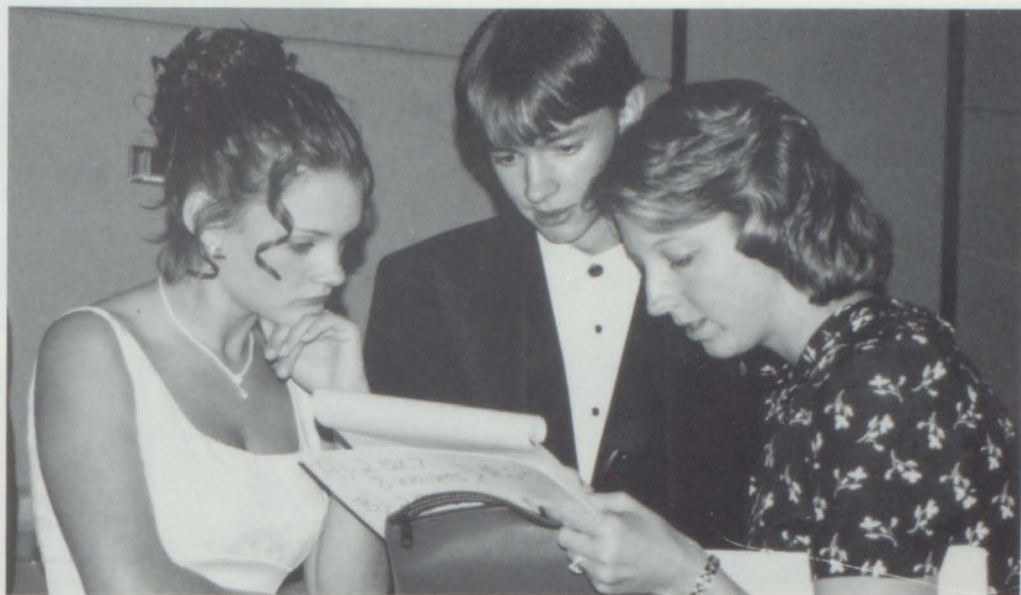
"Smile for a picture!" Junior Jessica Garcia pauses for a moment during prom so that she can take a quick picture. Her date, Gabe Azar, is standing patiently beside her. She is just one of the many students who bring their cameras along with them to prom in order to capture a few SPECIAL MOMENTS on film.



"And the belle of the ball will be ..." These girls are anxiously awaiting the start of LEAD-OUT. This is the moment they have longed for since they first dreamed of attending prom. Lead-Out begins prom night with the Seniors and their dates. Finally they have the chance to parade wearing their finest.

"A night to remember!" Senior Lesley Anne Jordan and her date Josh Branham are all smiles tonight. Both of them, along with the rest of their fellow prom-goers, are having an absolutely fantastic time at this year's prom. This MAGICAL evening is certainly one night that no one will ever be able to forget.





Who's got the BOOGIE FEVER? It's Philip Cheshire — the dancing Senior! He and his date enjoy "cutting the rug" in the midst of excited Prom-goers. The music for the evening was provided by MDS graduate, Phillip Houston. Fun, music, dancing, and seeing your friends all dressed up is what prom is all about.

"Welcome to Prom Pictures 1998 — can I take your order please? We have many different packages from which to choose. There is one to meet everyone's needs." Eric Davis and Ivey Miller are carefully choosing the picture package they feel will bring the optimum memories from their special night at prom.

PREVIOUS PROMS

1990 ~ "EGYPT"

1991 ~ "ENCHANTMENT UNDER THE SEA"

1992 ~ "EVENING IN THE ORIENT"

1993 ~ "ARABIAN NIGHTS"

1994 ~ "A VENETIAN ROMANCE"

1995 ~ "EMBRACE THE SKY"

1996 ~ "ALICE IN WONDERLAND"

1997 ~ "SUN, MOON AND STARS"



"This ain't no laggin' wagon!" Shell Kurzen, Suzanne Mattox, Rebecca Stokes, and Jessica Stinson compose this jubilant group of juniors. This stylish bunch of girls arrived at Prom in their creative version of the traditional stretch Limousine. They sure found an innovative way to make a grand entrance.

Creating a Dreamland

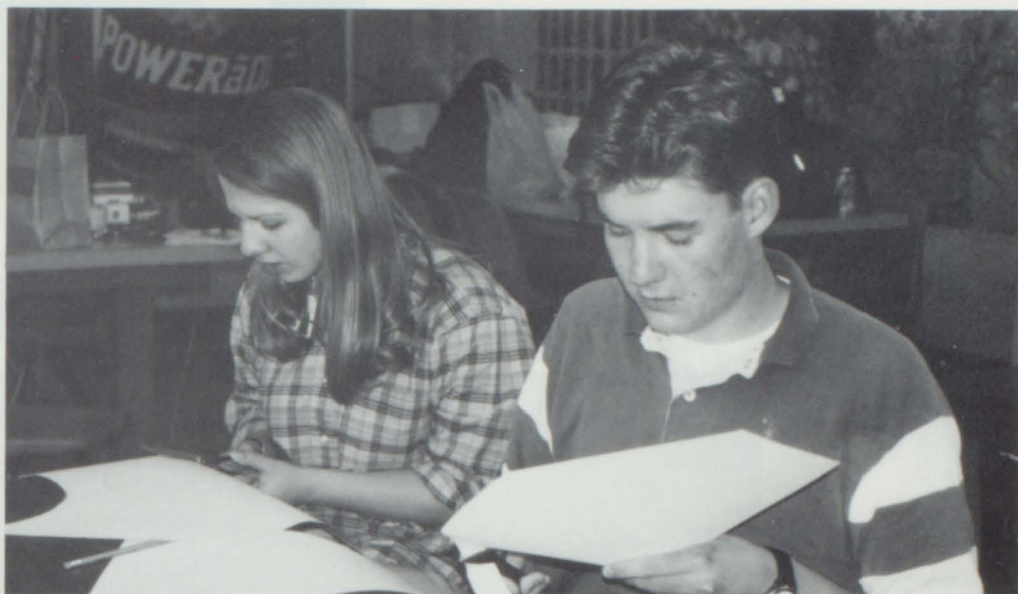
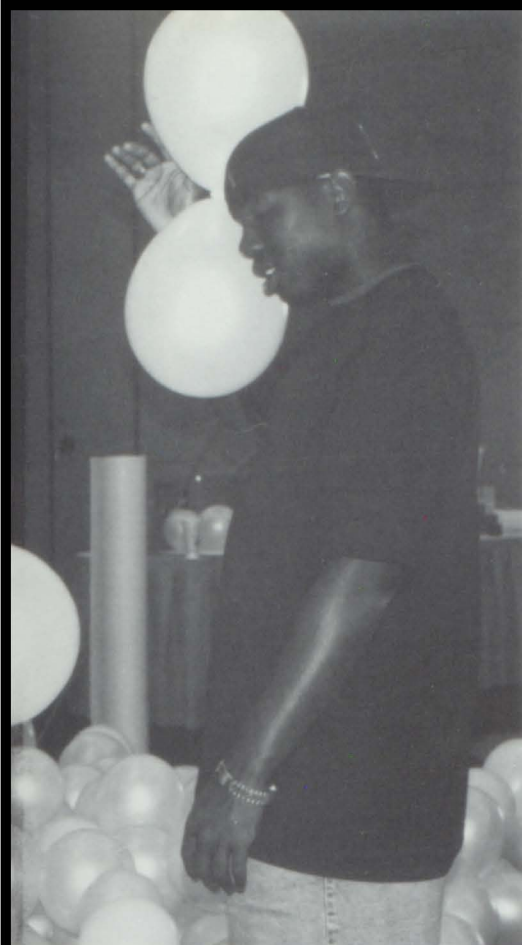
Mr. Midkiff and Junior Kelly Raines are trying to assemble the castles for the Prom. This was a very tedious job and it took the junior class many hours of preparation to make the decorations PERFECT for Prom. The time spent for getting ready was well worth it in the end. Prom was a delight for the eyes.



"Should we use white paint and white GLITTER, or purple paint and purple glitter on the castles?" Teachers Mr. Turner and Mrs. Hutto and Junior Katie Bentley are trying to decide the final details for this year's Prom decorations. The final color decision was white. A choice that brightened the Prom scene!

"They huffed and they puffed and they blew all one thousand balloons up." Blowing up all the BALLOONS for Prom is a very long and tiring job, but juniors Mandi Reynolds, Kelly Dessart, Maria Sanchez, and David Grinstead are up to the task. Hard work has fun and laughs involved — when it's in a group!





"On Cloud Nine!" Junior Ben Hubbard stands amidst the white mountains of pearlescent balloons. Ben is proud that the hours spent blowing up balloons paid off. What ENCHANTING clouds they make! He most certainly enjoys spending the morning with his fellow classmates as a night of memory is in the making.

"Twenty two, twenty three — how many more did you say we have left?" Juniors Missy Arcand and Chris Howard are enveloped in the wrath of cutting paper! They diligently snip away to make beautiful date wall KEEPSAKES. The juniors offered time during the Easter Holidays to achieve a most memorable Prom.

WORKING ON PROM

THE JUNIOR CLASS IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PLANNING THE PROM EACH YEAR. THIS YEAR THE STUDENTS ORDERED THE DECORATIONS SO THEY WERE TO FINISH MUCH MORE QUICKLY. THE EFFECT WAS MAGICAL. USING BALLOONS AND GLITTER, THE JUNIORS TRANSFORMED THE CENTREPLEX INTO A MAGICAL CASTLE FOR A SPECIAL EVENING.



"How nice, Mr. Mac will share his dunce hat with the castle!" Spectators look on in awe at Mr. MacLachlan's generosity. While working on Prom, students can still learn wonderful lessons. Sharing was one such lesson. Students shared their CREATIVE IDEAS to prepare the Castles and Moonlight Prom of 1998.

Magic Moments

"Memories light the corners of my mind ..." These Junior boys show that Prom Night is more than a dance in the Centreplex. Its a production, a display of beauty and a chance for students to be with each other off school grounds. It is a night that comes ONCE IN A LIFETIME and is cherished by all who attend.



"These are the DAYS OF OUR LIVES ..." For the seniors, this is the last Fun Night of their high school careers and maybe the best one yet. Amongst other senior memories are four years of Fun Night, four years of potato rollin', tug-of-war, building pyramids and Dizzy Izzy that won't soon be forgotten.

"We're waiting on our knights in shining armor." Lead-out is possibly one of the more nerve-wrecking senior TRADITIONS as demonstrated by these anxious young ladies. The girls re-straighten their dresses and the guys check their tuxedos for the last time before beginning the best night of their lives.





"Let Me Out Of Here!" Mr. Midkiff desperately tries to hold on to the sides of the dunking booth as he feels his seat go out from beneath him when a lucky student hit the BULL'S EYE. Tons of students took advantage of this extremely popular attraction and used it as a chance to get even with their teachers.

"WAIT!! I thought this was dress rehearsal!!!" Tiffany Domingos, a member of the *White Room of My Remembering* cast, smiles as she realizes that this performance is opening night and there is an audience out there. She recovered, and the cast performed beautifully and the play went on to be a success.

TEACHER'S MAGIC

MOMENTS

MR. DOCKRELL~TEACHER

RETREAT WITH FR. FRED

MRS. MEAD~BRINDA AND ED'S
PRESENTATION OF MR. MAC'S
HEAD (SEE PG. 85)

MRS. SKINNER~CANDLELIGHT
CAROL SERVICE

MR. TURNER~BEN WASHBURN'S
POLE VAULTING AND
COMPLIMENTS ABOUT HIS
EFFICIENCY



"Hey, Ed! I don't think we're in Oklahoma no more!" Kerry McLaurin and Edward Kendrick have been TRANSPLANTED FROM THE COUNTRY especially for our Homecoming activities. Their flannel plaid shirts, boots, jeans, cowboy hats, and STRAW made great additions to the Wild West decorations around campus.

Fun: Spreading like Wildfire

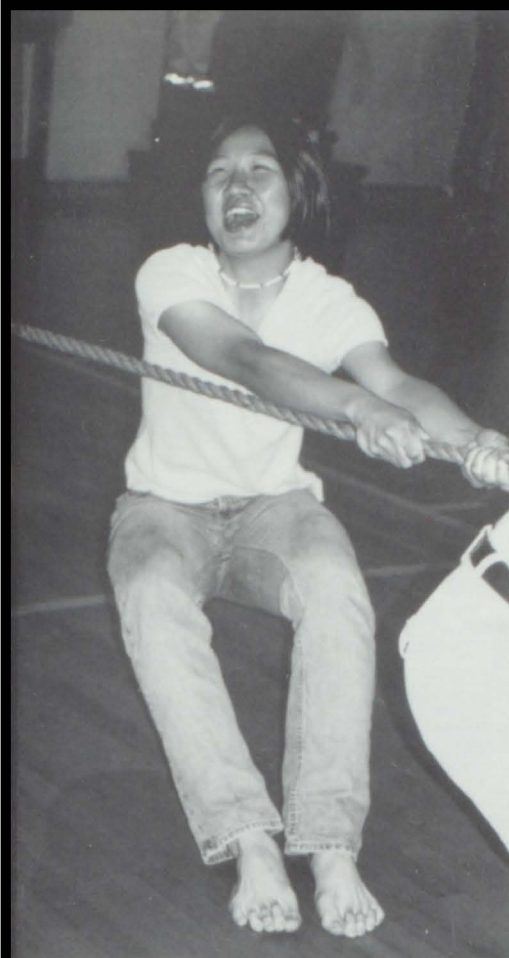
Rollin', rollin', rollin' keep that spud rollin'. Freshman Kelly Wall demonstrates her potato rollin' SKILL as she races to reach the half-court line before the other students. There is no trick to succeeding in the Potato Roll. Students just go out there and have fun no matter how silly they may look.



On top of the world or at least on top of the SENIOR PYRAMID; Senior Corlee Blum reaches the top of the pyramid in record time and helps the Senior class to win this very CHALLENGING relay. These Seniors were successful in building their human pyramid faster and more efficiently than the other classes.

"One, two, three ... PULL!" These freshman boys struggle to defeat the sophomores during the TUG-OF-WAR match. Their classmates scream encouragement to them from the sidelines. This relay is one of the most competitive events that takes place. Most students participate in at least one event like this one.





"I think I can. I think I can ..." Jennifer Van tries to keep a positive attitude as she pulls with all her might during the tug-of-war match of Fun Night. She is hoping that she will win it for the Sophomores. Tug-Of-War is one of the all-time favorite games as well as being one of the most COMPETITIVE.

"Don't drop the egg!" Each of these middle schoolers is anxiously waiting for their turn to be handed the precious egg during the dreaded Over - Under Egg Relay. They are all extremely CAUTIOUS because they know exactly what will happen if the egg breaks, and no one wants to wash egg out of their hair!

FUN NIGHT ACTIVITIES

POTATO ROLL
DRESS~A~BOY/ GIRL
OVER~UNDER EGG RELAY
FOOTBALL RELAY
TUG OF WAR
DIZZY IZZY
BUST~A~BALLOON
PYRAMID



"Now, how am I supposed to put this on?" Sophomore David Brennaman is helping his fellow classmate Amber Barham with her helmet during the dress-a-boy dress-a-girl contest. This relay is always sure to get lots of LAUGHS as students race to correctly put on items such as pantyhose and football pants.

Spirit Chasers

Trying to keep her balance, senior Johnny Lamb stumbles off of the GIANT SLIDE as classmate, Melita Kabashi looks on. There were many exciting games and events at Spirit Week '98. Sponsored by Student Council, Spirit Week replaced Positive Attitudes Day for a week of fun that displayed pride in our school.



SPRIT WEEK '98 promised a time to relax and have a good time for students and teachers alike. Sign up sheets for the events were posted the week before, offering everyone a chance to join in the fun. Whether it was the Jello Jug contest or the Sack Race, there was a little something for every taste.

Tattoo artist for the day, Sarah Mead designs the perfect tattoo for her first customer, Andy Knight. FACE PAINTING was one of the most popular stations during the day. This event allowed school artists to showcase their artistic talent but also gave students a safe, non-permanent way to get cool body art.





Don't crack the egg! Freshmen girls Ivey Miller and Jessi Rosa are WORKING TOGETHER and having a hilarious time as well. The day offered students a wide variety of fun-filled events. These girls, for the moment, are concentrating intensely on keeping an egg intact and out of their hair and faces.

Sunny spring days are perfect for family! Senior boys Paul Kirkland and James Crawford join Andrew Noller and his mother for a nice chat. Students were given a chance to invite their PARENTS to come eat lunch with them, enjoy the bright, warm sun, and get a great view of the many flowers on campus.

SPIRIT WEEK

JELL~O JUGS~

J~E~L~L~O SPELLS FUN

DUNKING BOOTH ~

SUMTHIN' TO SPLASH ABOUT
SACK RACE~ PAPER OR PLASTIC
GIANT SLIDE ~ SLIP AND SLIDE
FACE PAINTING~DOODLE BUGS

BEST LEGS CONTEST~
NEED WE SAY MORE?

HULA HOOP CONTEST~
TWIST AND SHOUT!



Hungry for life — thirsty for — Jell-O? Seventh-grader Justin Channel proves to the student body that Jell-O is not only a jiggly desert but a thirst quenching drink. The crowd watched with amazement as the participants slurped down jello during a CLASS COMPETITION. Justin admits, "It was delightful!"

That's All Folks

"Does anyone have their Geography notes?" This group of freshman are desperately trying to cram for their upcoming exam. EXAMS are the last week of school and can be stressful on those students who put off their studying until the last minute. Hopefully, most people prepare for their exams ahead of time.



"We finally did it!" These seniors are excited as the minutes before Graduation pass by. For many, this is the moment they have longed for and worked for since they started school. It is also a time of CONFUSION and CHAOS as the students race to make sure everything and everyone is in place and ready to go.

"We are the champions!" No day in the Boys Basketball season was more thrilling than the State Championship game. The students, as well as the rest of the crowd, sat on the edge of their seats as the boys led MDS to being the BASKETBALL STATE CHAMPIONS. This victory was one that will be remembered forever.





On MOVING UP DAY, the Junior Class finally attains the long awaited title of Seniors. This ceremony includes poems, speeches, and songs. It ends with each student receiving a blessing from Fr. Cuddy. Andrea Tice receives her blessing to prepare her for the upcoming challenges that Senior year will bring.

"How many balloons did you say are left?" Junior Jessica Stinson is desperately trying to blow up yet another balloon as she works diligently on Prom decorations. It is the Junior Class' hard work and determination that helps to make Prom one of the most special and UNFORGETTABLE MEMORIES of high school.

HIGHLIGHTS OF 97~98

HOMECOMING
REGION FOOTBALL
AUCTION
PROM
BOYS BASKETBALL STATE
CHAMPIONSHIP
GRADUATION
MOVING UP DAY
BLOOD DRIVES



During the Senior Honors Program, Chad Cavender and Jesse Fortson hug Mrs. Washburn after being recognized for their choral achievements. Acknowledging students for their accomplishments throughout the year in areas such as service, athletics and academics is an important part of ENDING OUR SCHOOL YEAR.

And now... a word from the *Dream Makers*

Now that the senior's last high school year is over...where do they go from here?

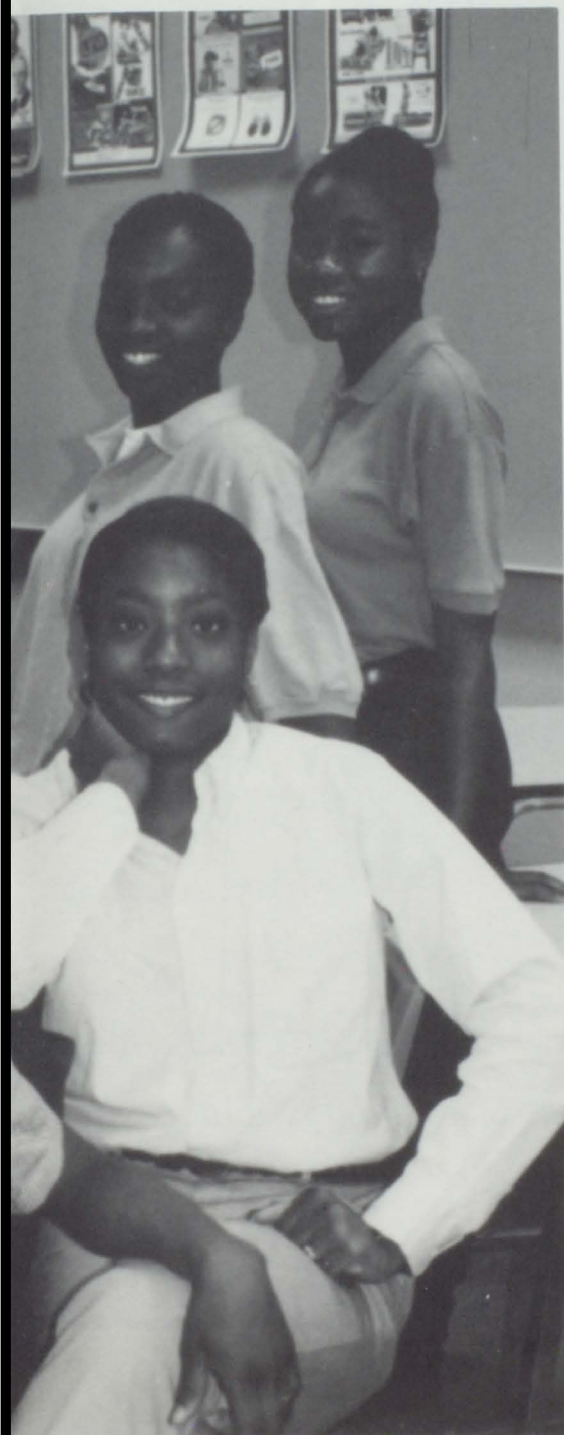
EVERYWHERE! This is an exciting time for the students. It is also a time for parents to **EXPRESS** their joy and pride, their sadness and relief, and their satisfaction and love. Parents sometimes do this by

dedicating a printed tribute to their graduate. It can relay their **best wishes** and sometimes even remind their child of the important things in life. And so along with the proud parents of our class of 1998, we would like to wish each senior much success and happiness.

♦ "Look out world ... here we come!" Senior girls Tabitha Burney, Christina Clark, Keesa Butler, DaVonne Bivins, LaTonya McClendon and Mia Armstrong CHERISH their last days at MdS ... but even they are ready to explore the world. Armed with their best smiles, their future has to be bright!

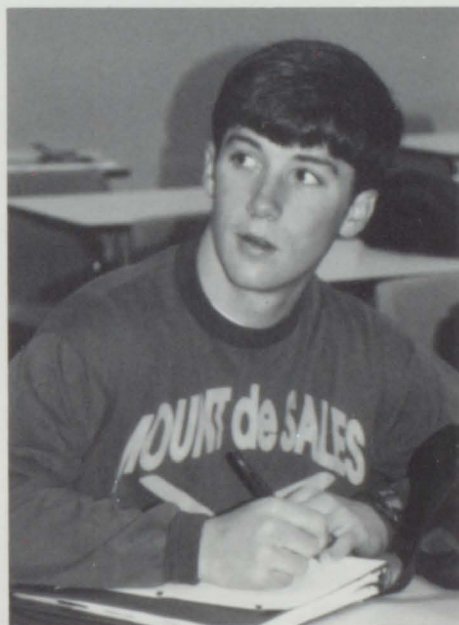


"Thirty more days to go! These ID's do not even bother me anymore." Ed-lie McBride is just about ready to wrap up a very successful high school career. Lettering in both football and track, he is well on his way to the TOP.



◆ "How can it get any better than this? It's great to be a senior!" These seniors agree that after four years of waiting, the crowns and the red were all worth waiting for. Life is SWEET from this point forward.

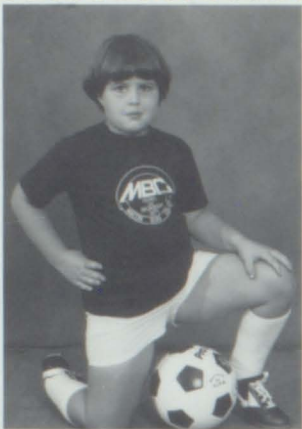
◆ "I'll have your queen in three moves." Seniors Jason Koch and Ben Wilhelm "relax" over a chess board. The air-conditioned YooHoo haven filled with board games was a relief during the "HOT" Spirit Week activities.



◆ "Don't forget to write down your ENGLISH assignment, Chris!" Senior Chris Vance is one student who is definitely excited about graduating this year. It is not as easy being a senior as some people may think.

◆ "It is just another one of those busy days." Senior Terese McGee takes a stroll through the breeze-way after an assembly. It is amazing how FAST high school days seem to fly by. "Enjoy it while you can!"





Trish

*On or off the field or court
Not the win or loss
Made us proud
But how you played the game.*

*Congratulations with our love,
Mom & Dad*



Kendall,

*"Keep your eyes on the stars
and your feet on the ground."*

Theodore Roosevelt

*We love you and will miss you!
Mama, Craig, Cris, Kelly*

Congratulations to Elizabeth Chapman And The Class of 1998



Continuing the Family Tradition
Since 1876 - Four Generations at
Mount de Sales



*May the
longtime
sun shine upon you,
all love surround you,
and the sweet light
within you
guide your way on.*



Congratulations Narreinar



*May God Bless you and keep
you by His side!*



*Love always,
Mom, Dad, Nathan, Desalina*

*You measure success
one stroke at a time*



*Congratulations
Love,
Mom & Dad*

*Congratulations, Erica
God gave you a sweetness
and loving ways
that fills the heart of those
around you with joy and
happiness*



"Remember now thy creator in the days of thy youth..."
Ecclesiastes 12:1



*Brooks
You are special!
Congratulations on your
accomplishments!*

*We love you !
Mom, Dad, Reeves,
Katie*



Soccer All-Star!



*MDS Faculty,
We are most grateful to
you for the special gift of a
Catholic school education
that you have given Brooks!
God Bless You All!
Karen and Don*



Danielle,



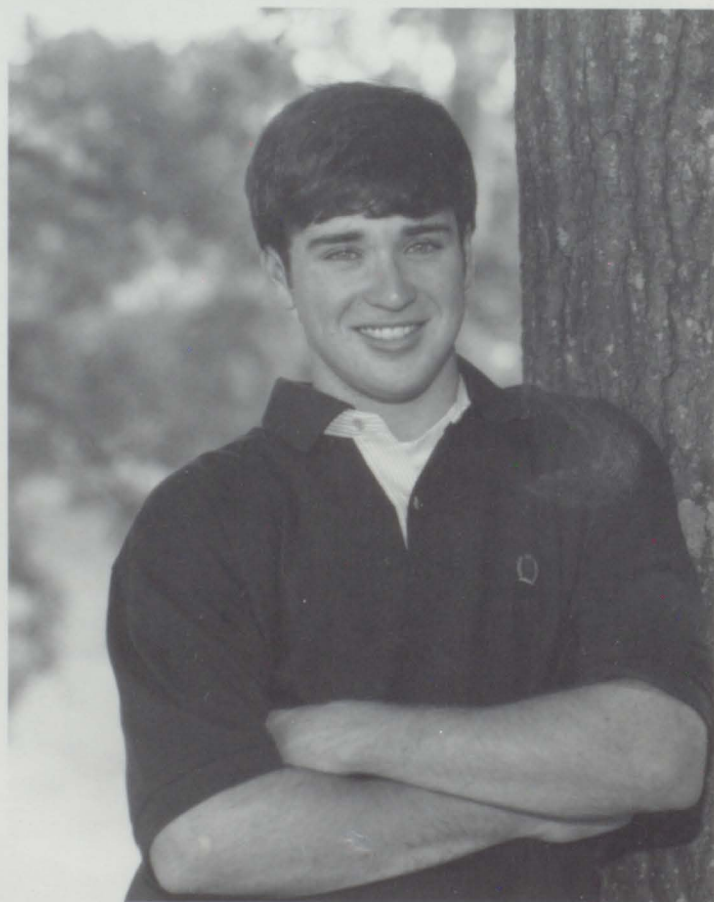
*With your blue eyes always shining bright
Your loving sweetness has given us years of great delight.
Always trust in the Lord, be the best you can be
Remember your verse "I can do all things through Christ,
who strengthens me."*

*We love you,
Mama, Daddy and Dyana*

"Trust in the Lord with all
your heart, and do not lean on
your own understanding.

In all your ways acknowledge
Him, and He will make your paths
straight." *Proverbs 3:5-6*

Love,
Dad, Mom, and Amanda





Mia Nicole Armstrong

Congratulations Mia!!

Believe and Succeed

*"The key to happiness is having dreams...
The key to success is making dreams come true."*

Keep your head to the sky and go for it.
Be more concerned with what God thinks
about you than what people think of you.

"We ought to obey God rather than men."
Acts 5:29

You have made us so very proud of you
Your daddy would have been too!

Congratulations and Well Done

We Love You!

Greg, Mom, and Brittany

Congratulations Mia

"Life is a Journey, not a Destination"

Continue your journey

DERRICK D. PHILLIPS, M.D.

ORTHOPAEDIC SURGEON

(Bone and Joint Specialist)

Suite 130 Bldg. D
360 Hospital Drive
Macon, GA 31201
(912) 741-5552

1025 Keith Drive
Perry, GA 31069
(912) 987-4555

After Hours Call (912) 741-5552

You Will Always Be Our Champion!



We Love You! Mom, Dad, and Leah



When you were little I called you Mom's Little Man.
Now you are so tall that the name doesn't fit.
Now you are my talented artist, my graceful athlete,
-- my handsome young man --
that still pats me on the back as I pat you-
just like you did when you were still my "little man."



*We are all proud of you and
are blessed to have you in our lives.
We Love you.*

Mom, John, Deanna, & Benjamin



Congratulations, Monica!

*We are very proud of you,
of the choices you've made
and the path you have chosen.
You are "da bomb" and
you are loved beyond measure.
Mama, Daddy, and Carl*



*Continue to reach
for the Stars!*

Congratulations Precious



*Trust in the Lord
Wait on Him
He will deliver.*

*We are so proud of you
The Light - Love of
our Life*

*Willie / Vanessa
Jaila*

*Dad / Mom
Greg*

*Dexter / Casandra
Jaron*



**Congratulations, Kimmie
and the Class of 1998!**

**Love,
Mom, Dad, Steph, & Will**



Congratulations Eddie!

**Believe in yourself
like we believe in you.**

**We're proud of you &
know you will always be a
champion in life.**

**We love you man,
Mom, Dad & Matt**



To Caitlin...

With love
From Dad
and Mom,
Matt, Sean,
and Colleen,
Mr. Bill and
Marybeth,
and
Riley



*I do not wish you
Joy without sorrow, nor
Endless day without the
healing dark, nor
brilliant sun without
The restful shadow,
nor tides that never turn
against your bark.
I wish you love,
and strength,
and faith,
and wisdom,
goods,
gold enough to help some needy one.
I wish you songs
but also blessed silence
And God's sweet peace when day is done.*

-Dorothy Nell McDonald



CONGRATULATIONS BRINDA AND THE CLASS OF 1998

To Brinda, a daughter who is very dear.
Congratulations on completing high school this year.
From the little girl so quiet, gentle and good.
You have grown to be the kind and lovely young lady
we hoped you would.

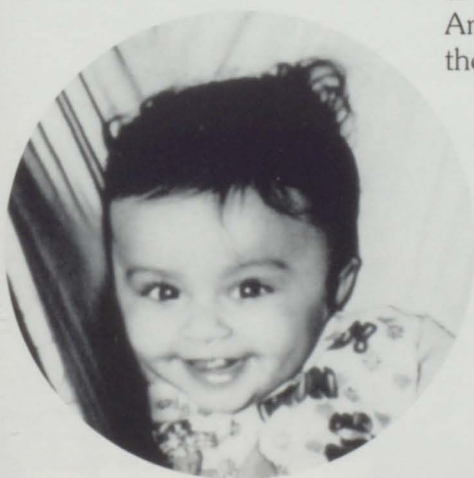
The qualities of loyalty and honesty you do possess.
Of you patience, self-confidence and virtue we
are proud to confess.

We know how much you love science, Spanish,
and the arts.
And we will always wish you the best from
the bottom of our hearts.

So now as you plan to pursue your future
hopes at college,
You'll have fun, make new friends and
gain lots of knowledge

May God bless you and keep you in
our prayers.
We love you and whenever you need us,
we'll always be there.

FROM YOUR FAMILY

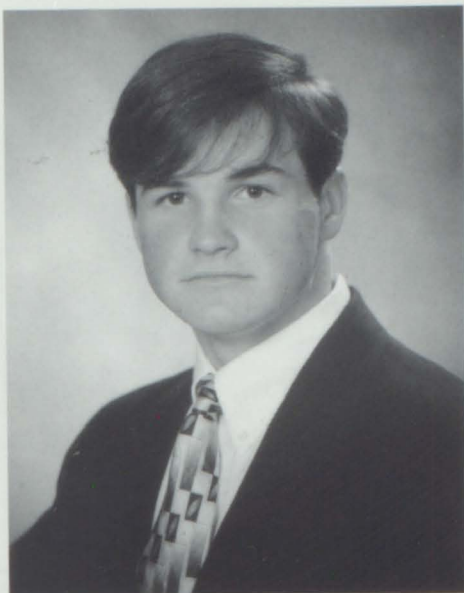


Congratulations



LaTonya, we are very proud of you. We look back over the years and wonder where has time gone. May God walk with you throughout your life. We wish you much success for the future.

Love Mom, Dad, Nick & Sierra



Britton Lockhart

aka

55 Football

5 Baseball

"Bait Boy" (his Brother)

"Britty Bo" (his Mother & Sister)

"Brit Ton Son" (his Dad)

We are so very proud of you and this accomplishment. Your positive attitude will propel you through the tough times. Remember, God is holding your right hand. Psalms 73:23.

Congratulations with our love,
Mom, Dad, Kristen and Brandon

Congratulations

Chad

Follow your dreams, with all the passion you have shown for life!



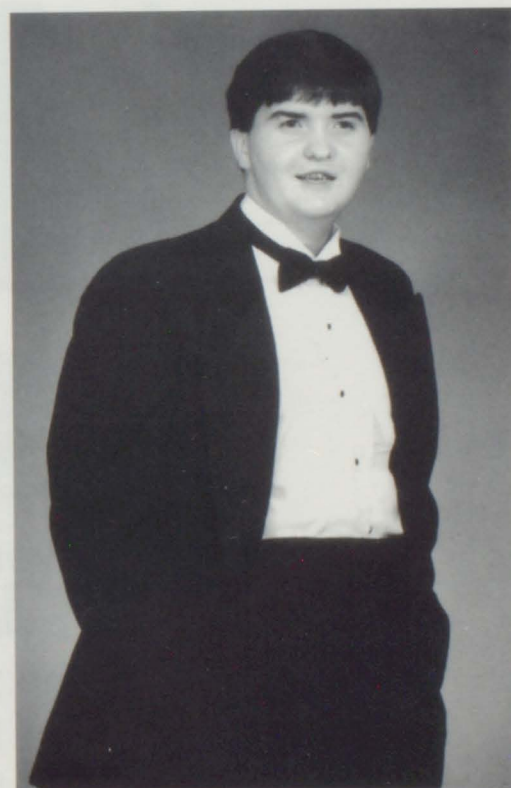
Don't ever give up.

We are so very
proud of you!

All our
love.

Mama & Mike

Dana, Stephanie, Meme & Pop





Congratulations, Lee!!

You've been a GREAT son, ever since day one.

We didn't realize how soon you'd be gone.

We sat back, and watched you grow.

But now it's time to let you go.

So spread your wings and soar so high,

Remember we taught you to fly.

We can't do everything for you,

You must use *your* wisdom to see it through.

Now, go where you will- we know you can,

And, ask God to help you grow into a man.

We Love You!

Dad, Mom, Ross and Betsy

Class of '98

Congratulations Andrew!

With all your determination,
your future will be a great suc-
cess! We're so proud of you.

Love,

Dad, Mom, and Alison

Congratulations to Lindsay!



To everything there is a season.

Take with you always

- the wisdom of your teachers
- the laughter of your friends, and
- the love of your family.



Congratulations

*Rebecca Ann
We Love you,
Daddy, Mama, and
Carl*



Congratulations, Bill!

*With Love,
From Shelley and Dad*

Congratulations, Trysha!



You've Come A
Long Way, Baby!

May God Always
Bless and Keep
You!

We Love You,



"Grammy," "Mommy," Uncle Brantley,
Uncle Barron, Aunt "Pam," "Lynn,"
and "Shon"

A Special Friend

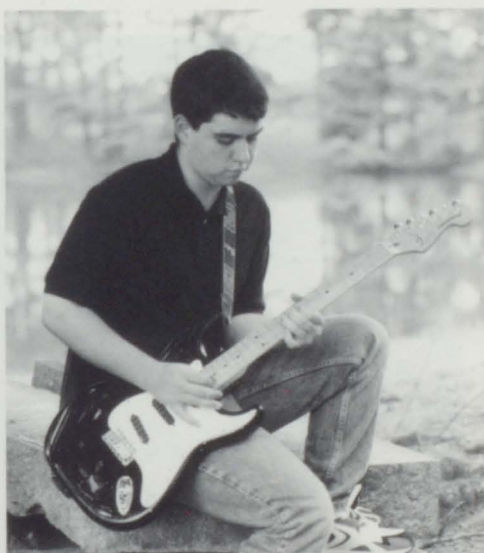
Some people have a way of bringing out the best in you by their caring and the interest that they take in you. Some people make you comfortable right from the very start, for their smiles and love of life comes from a warm and giving heart. Some people are so special that whenever they're around, it seems the world is filled with joy- just waiting to be found!



JEFF,



KEEP ON ROCKIN'



*LOVE,
MOM & DAD*



*"Shoot for the
moon. Even if you
miss you'll land
among the stars."*

Les Brown



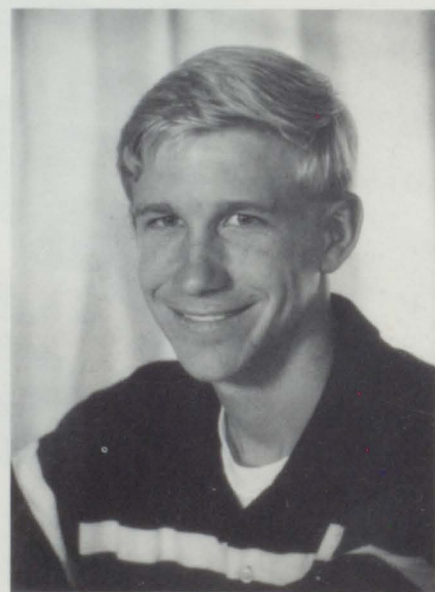
*Congratulations Kristen!
Love,
Mom, Dad, Michael*

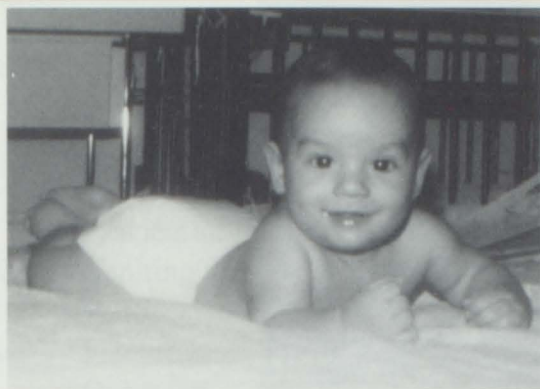
*Congratulations Carrie!
Love,
Mom, Dad, Ben*



***Congratulations,
Jason***

*We Are So Proud of You
Love,
Mom
Dad & Jeanne*





Congratulations, Marcos!

We are all very proud of you.

Now you have a new instrument with which to better build your future. May you reach your future goals with the enthusiasm and success with which you have reached this goal. We love you.

God bless you.

Dad, Mom, René Javier and
All your family in Puerto Rico

¡Felicidades, Marcos!

Estamos todos muy orgullosos de tí.
Ahora tienes un instrumento nuevo
para poder construir mejor tu futuro.
Que logres tus futuras metas con el
entusiasmo y éxito con que has
logrado esta meta. Te queremos.

Dios te bendiga
Papá, Mamá, René Javier y
Toda tu familia en Puerto Rico



Catherine,

We are so proud of you! You are
a very special daughter and add great
joy to our lives. We love and support
you in all that you do. May you
continue to grow in knowledge and
your love of God.

Love,
Mommy Daddy Allen & Erin
XX OO



Caren Dellavie Frank

("Mrs. Bear")

*Though your tickly feet
might take you
Far from all your
heart now knows
May your eyes stay
filled with wonder
and your smile
forever glow
And however far you travel
There is one thing we all know
Your soul will never
stray too far
from where our river flows*

Love and Congratulations

*Mom, Abbott, Jaymie, Mad Maddy,
Jay, and all the River House Gang!*

Joyful Clever
 Artistic Respectful
 Meticulous Aspiring
 Effective Witty
 Supportive Elamboyant
 Outgoing
 Loving Resourceful
 Enthusiastic Determined
 Exciting



We are so very proud of you for living up to your name the way you have. Another step is completed and the sky is the limit. May God be with you as you climb the ladder of success.

Congratulations James.....We LOVE you.

Mom, Dad, Tammy, Robert and Jamie

Congratulations Armond

*We are very proud of you
Love,*

Mom, Dad, Ella, Vanessa, and Darnley



*Thank you God
for the fruits
You allow me
to bear.*

LaKeesa



Corlee Anna Blum,

*You have always made us so happy and so proud.
We love you very much!*

Love,

*Mom, Dad, Andy
Grandmama, Pop
and Mama Key*

*Go Hairy Dawgs!
Woof, woof, woof!*





*Congratulations to our
"Girls"- Amanda &
"Penebolelee"*

*We are so proud of you!
Our Love & \$upport
Always,
Mama and Daddy*



Congratulations upon your graduation! From kindergarten to "college-bound" you have always made us proud. May you always "do what is just, love mercy, and walk humbly with thy God," so that you might have a happy and prosperous life.

Love Mom, Meryl, Grandmother, and Elfie.

**Congratulations DaVonne Bivins
"Vonne"**

"To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under heaven." This is your time to shine for a job well done. Continue to let the Lord order your steps. "I will dance like David danced."

**Love,
"Ma," Daddy, Flo-"B," and David-Ben Bivins**



Spelling
 I saw a plane
 I saw a bug fly
 Can I play out

*To a great brother, son, friend, and student.
 You have filled our lives with happiness and love.
 It only seems like yesterday when you wrote like this.
 Even then we knew you had the handwriting of a doctor!*



*Love Always,
 Mom, Dad, Clare, and Tala*



Congratulations

Stephanie!

You're the best!



Love,

Dad, Mom, Susan, Kim, & Kevin



CONGRATULATIONS CHRIS
WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU !

Love,

Mom, Dad, Beth and John

To my youngest, Leslie Anne Jordan

You may be my last, baby

But you never have been my least!

I Love You!!

Congratulations on your accomplishments,

I am very proud of you... Mama

*Congratulations Mathis
and the
Class of 1998*



*We Love You!
Mom, Dad, and Katherine*

Tina (Lil' Toe),

We've watched you grow up so fast through the years. Wow! Look at you now. You've given us eighteen wonderful years of happiness. We all wish you the best in all you do in life. Remember to always put God first. We're proud of you.

**Love,
Mommy, Daddy, Willie (Big Bro),
Family, and Friends**





THE W.R. CREW



You really are a special group of friends and we know all your dreams will come true. Much love from the Perazzola Family: Grams, Pop, Mikey, Laura, Mom, Dad, and Samuria.



We really do love all you guys and we know that you have a really bright future ahead of you. Have fun and be careful. God Bless.

*Love,
The Lamb Family*

Congratulations Class of '98

The Berndt Family

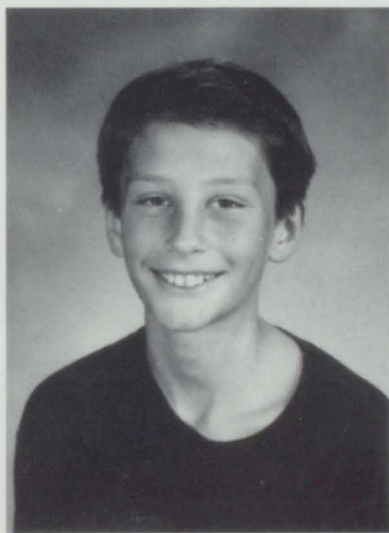




Congratulations Lisa!

We are so proud of you!

*Love,
Mama & Daddy*



Go for it! Take a chance. There are times you must trust that silent voice inside you. The experts don't always have the right answers. According to the law of aerodynamics, the bumblebee cannot fly, but no one told the bee. Keep flying!



Congratulations Tiff !!

Best wishes at Southern!

We love you and are very proud of you.

*Your family,
Mom, Dad, Grandmother, Papa, and Nana*

Terese,

This is a magnificent journey you're on. Don't be afraid to explore unfamiliar territory. If you do happen to get lost, you will stumble accross some of the most interesting discoveries you will ever make. Wander down roads you've never taken before or ones you'll never chance upon again. Life isn't a travel guide to follow. It's an adventure to undertake.

- 101 Things to Always Remeber
& One Thing to Never Forget



We love you.
Daddy, Mommy and Dwight

The 1997-1998 Mount de Sales Academy Board of Trustees



Top Row: Sister Mary Rosina, R.S.M., President; Mr. Don Faulk, Chairman; Mr. Cedric Leslie, Vice Chairman; Mrs. Kim Schnell, Secretary; Mr. Jim Filush, Treasurer; Mr. Windy Blanks.



Bottom row: Mrs. Cindy Chapman, Sr. Marilyn Graf, R.S.M., Mr. Marion McMillan, Mr. Terrence G. Mermann, Sr. Lourdes Sheehan, R.S.M., Mr. Phil Sheridan, Mr. Lamar Sizemore. Not Pictured: Father John Cuddy, Mr. Chris R. Sheridan.



*Ben- Thanks for 18 years of
creative memories.
Always keep your adventurous
spirit.*

*We Love You,
Dad, Mom, Cody, & Pierce*



*Go Captain,
Love- Mom &
Dad*

Congratulations Justin!

*We were proud of you then
& proud of you still.*



*Keep working hard
& the future will be a
"Hole in One".*

*We Love You,
Mom, Dad & Christina*

*"Give The World The Best You Have
And
Everything Will Come Back To You"*

*Congratulations Mia
Kelvin, Vanessa, and Kedrick Williams*

Congratulations

Class of 1998!



We believe in you
Love,
Dad and Jennifer

The 1997-1998 Salesian Staff

Co-Editors: Carrie Frank & Rebecca Merschat

Section Editors and Staff:

Computer & Ad Editor: Bill Tice

Administrative Assistant: Katy Chow

Seniors- DaVonne Bivins & Narreinar Williams

Lindsay Dessem Kimmie Rankin

Jessica Stinson

People- Andrea Tice & Lillie Austin

Anne Hurley Claire Katner

Elizabeth Pearce Kirk Davenport

Emily Dessem Shelby Smith

Katie Horst Genevoere Oliviere

Sports- Corlee Blum & Johnny Lamb

Tim Finney Taj Middleton

Lindsay Mummert Mary Heenan

Student Life- Caitlin Hickey & Monica McMillan

Shell Kurzen Mary Catherine Smith

Brooke Hartley Jennifer Paschke

Clubs- Mia Armstrong & Katie Mayers

Chad Elliott Jennifer Webb

Krystle Stewart Jennifer Herndon

Academics- Marla Geddis

Emily Smith Jason Grizzard

Steve Fennell Florence Bivins

Photographers

Mr. & Mrs. Bill Meriwether

Mrs. Sue Sinksen Brooke Hartley

Mrs. E. Carlson Georgia Ragonetti

Charles Frey Rebecca Merschat

The moderator of the *Salesian* is Sue Sinksen. All type is set in Souvenir type except for clip art. Headlines were set in 36 point type. Picture captions were set in 8 point type. Body Copy was set in 10 point type. Jostens of Clarksville, Tennessee printed 710 copies of 224 pages each. The company representative is Mr. David Zeigler.

The thrill of
victory?
The agony
of defeat?
Just
another
deadline.



Editors Carrie Frank and Rebecca Merschat

Where Do They Go From Here?

Armstrong Atlantic State

University

LaTonya McClendon

Belmont University

Barbara Copeland

Berry College

Andrew Lizek

Catholic University of America

Caitlin Hickey

The Citadel

Thomas Williamson

Clemson University

Catherine Stroupe

College of Charleston

Kristen Kelley

Elon College

Andrew Noller

Emory University

James Crawford

Florida A&M University

Carlos Denson

Gainesville College

Mike Mazza

Georgia College & State

University

Rebecca Merschat

Christina Clark

Ben Hale

Georgia Institute of

Technology

Charles Frey ~ Jason Koch

Dennis Matovu ~ Kimmie Rankin

Brinda Ramaiya ~ Warren Stramiello

Bill Tice ~ Carl Perrazola

David Berndt

Georgia State

University

David Furtney

Gordon College

Lesley Anne Jordan

Jacksonville University

Franklin Mack

Miami University of Ohio

Matt Hodler

Georgia Southern

University

Lee Barrineau ~ Beth Bollinger

Tabitha Burney ~ LaKeesa Butler

Philip Cheshire ~ Angie Cook

Danielle Davis ~ Gevonka Denson

Tiffany Domingos ~ Amanda Evans

Megan Floyd ~ Justin Leslein

Whitney Wimberly ~ Armond Power

Eddie McBride

Macon State College

Jason Boney

Darci Davidson

Stephanie Parker

Brooke Stone

Mercer University

Chad Cavendar

Lisa Reeves

Trish Yarbrough

Jesse Fortson

Middle Tennessee State

University

Tony Wesley

Mississippi State University

Sam Singer

Oxford College of Emory

University

Jeff Strickland

Paine College

Fareeda McClinton

Rhodes College

Marquez Sams

Saint Joseph's College

Patty Bieger

Salem College

Terese McGee

Trinity University

Lindsay Dessem

State University of West

Georgia

DaVonne Bivins

University of Florida

Monica McMillan

University of Georgia

Thomas Bell ~ Corlee Blum

Elizabeth Chapman ~ Katy Chow

Brooks Coates ~ Paul Filush

Teddy Katner ~ Alexis Mason

Mary Beth Meadows

Lindsay Misch ~ Carrie Pierce

Betsy Washburn ~ Paul Kirkland

University of Miami

Marcos Sanchez

University of Pittsburgh

Johnny Lamb

University of Tennessee

Edward Kendrick

Valdosta State University

Cristy Burress ~ Morgan Stone

Chris Vance ~ Kendall Wall

Stephanie Wilson

Washington University

Erica Talley

Wofford College

Kerry McLaurin

Western State College of Colorado

Michael Kusar ~ Mathis Coxon

Ben Wilhelm

Xavier University of Louisiana

Mia Armstrong

Narreinar Williams

Young Harris College

Kevin Balkcom ~ Matt DeFore

Carrie Frank ~ Jon Howard

Adam Ford ~ Britton Lockhart

all tucked in...

Around the beginning of *April* (and sooner for some people) you can almost smell **summer** vacation. No more early mornings; **no more dress code**; no more homework...it's just about **TIME** to take a good long break. For most students, summer **marks** a few months of temporary separation but for the seniors, it's the beginning of the next phase of their life.

Although everyone is going their separate ways, the **idea** of finally moving on is most exciting. Most seniors realized many of their **dreams** through the close friendships they established during the year.

♦ "We are sliding OUT of the old and into the new with style."

Middle schoolers Jessica Freeman and Katy Fennell enjoy themselves as MdS

celebrated its first annual Spirit Week. Next year, they will be moving up to the high school...and four more years of Spirit weeks.



◆ "We have been waiting for this run for a long time!" Nothing but smiles for these eager seniors. Melita Kabashi, James Crawford, Jon Howard, and Alexis Mason gleam as they await their FINAL parade around and around the MdS campus.



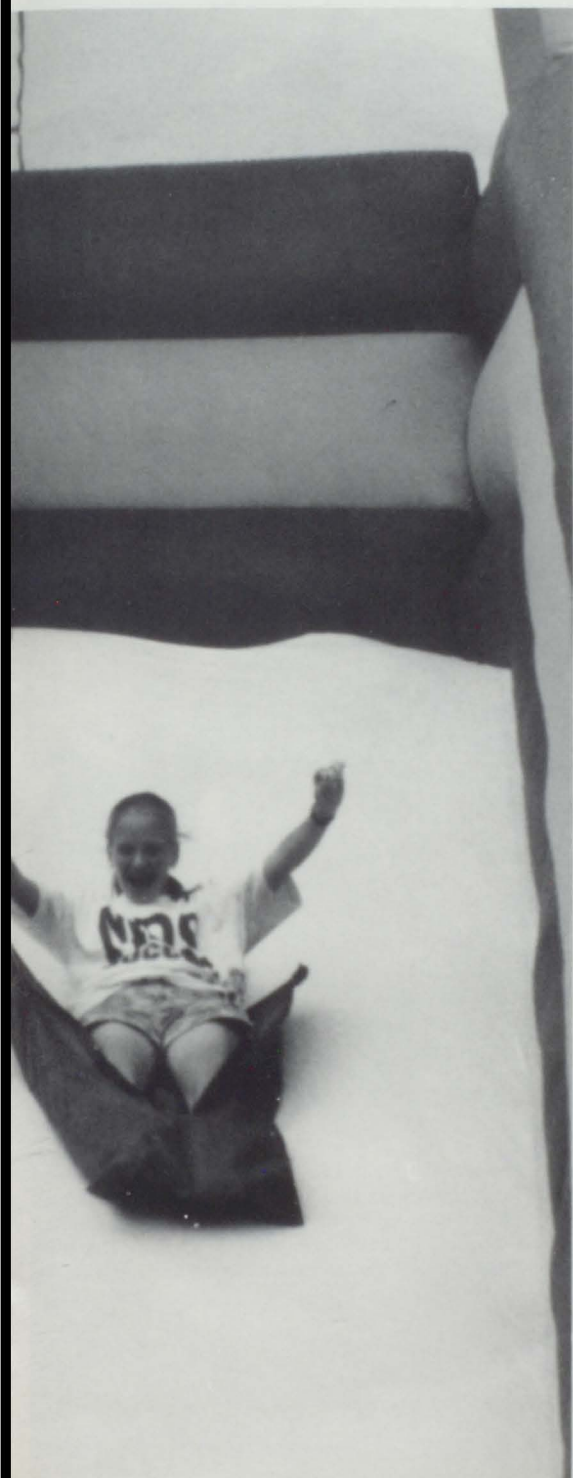
◆ "This next year will be the most important and the most memorable in your life. Do not take it for granted." Father Cuddy gives a little advice to junior Robert Snider as he ENDS his junior year and begins his senior year.

◆ "I'm giving it my all, and that's all I can give." James Crawford CLOSES his senior year and his high school career as he makes his final "donation" to the school. Not only was the blood drive successful, but also the school year.



◆ "There was more stuff in my locker than I thought. I can't believe this." Cleaning out his locker for the LAST time, senior David Berndt realizes how much trash, dust, and dirt can accumulate in one year's time.

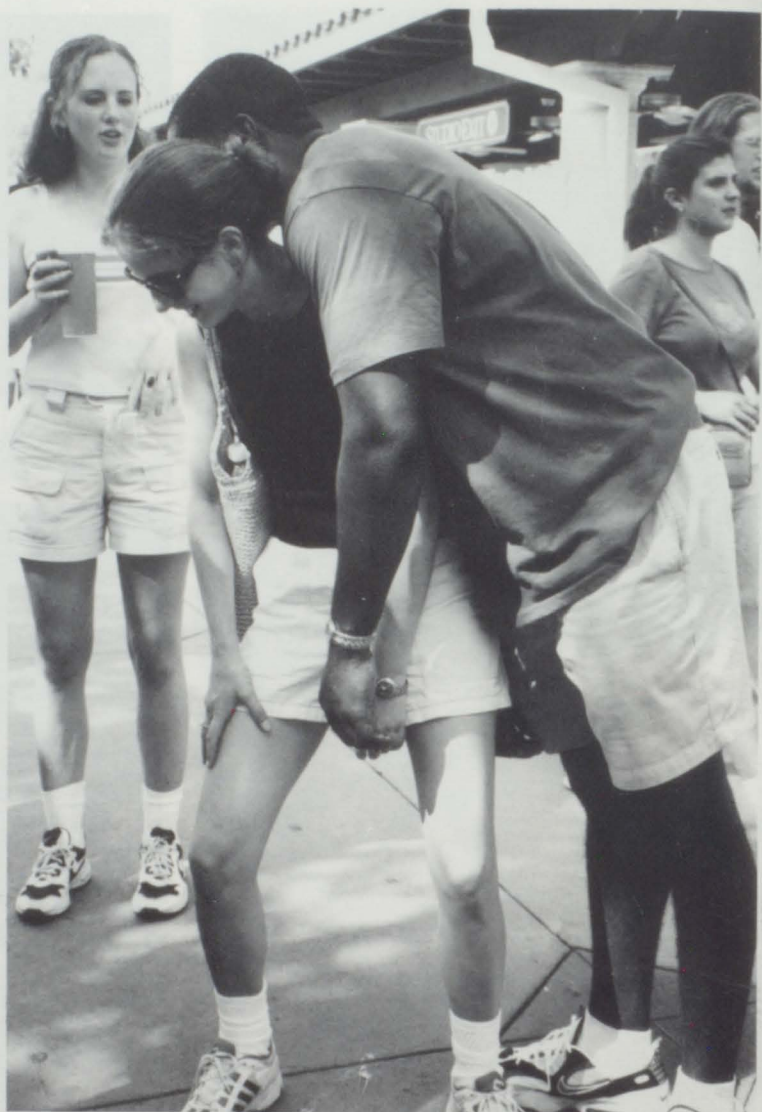
◆ "This is a time of many traditions for the junior class..." elected Student Council president Beth Tamboli begins the Make Up day ceremony. This formally recognizes the junior class of 1999.



Sweet Dreams...

For some of the graduates, the **answer** to their dreams was that long sought diploma from the hands of Sr. Rosina. As we end this year, let's take a look at what **dreams** we have realized as a school community. *Cavalier Fields* is almost ready! This summer is the dedication and next year we will have **OUR** first homecoming game on **OUR** home field. The drama program has grown and student **participation** has definitely expanded. Nationally, we were recognized as a technologically superior Catholic school.

DREAM ON CAVALIERS!



◆ "Lean on me when you're not strong...and I'll help you 'CARRY' on.." Kerry McLaurin uses Carrie Pierce to lean on after a short but tiring senior trip. Kristen Kelley looks on wondering if Carrie will withstand the weight of Kerry.

◆ "I can't believe this is the END." Senior Christina Clark sheds many sad and joyful tears as she leaves behind her underclassman friends, her senior friends, her teachers, and her high school days to embark on a great future.

♦ "Cheers to all of our achievements in student council and may there be many more to come." Sherry Long, Lucy Crosby, and Lindsay Mummert celebrate with cookies and juice as they reminisce about the successful year BEHIND them.

♦ "Nah Nah Nah Nah, Nah Nah Nah Nah, Hey Hey Hey, GOODBYE..." The members of the Mt. de Sales SWAT team say goodbye to another basketball season as they celebrate our victory in the GISA state championship basketball game. Go Cavs!



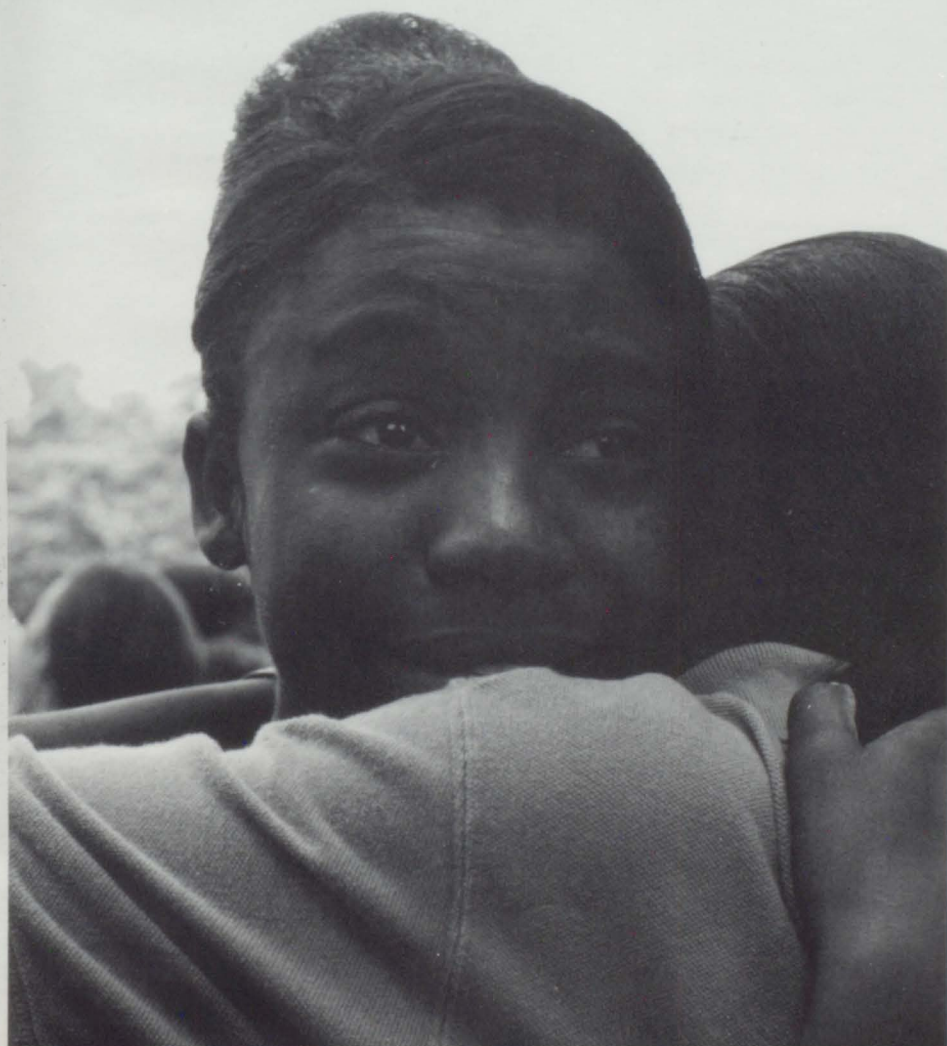
"I am really going to miss this girl." Monica McMillan and Marla Geddis demonstrate their affection with a hug and a smile. As the END of the year approaches, Monica will prepare herself to leave her high school friends behind.



"I am finally going to be a senior!" Junior Amanda Jenson awaits the blessing of Father Cuddy. Moving up day is the day any junior looks forward to. It means that their senior and FINAL year is near and the rest of the day is free.




"I just want to go ahead and apologize if I do not get your hands completely dry." In this exercise, Jessica Deeb and John Hurley learned the importance of serving one another as Jesus did with his disciples at the LAST Supper.



A black and white photograph of a desolate, sandy landscape. In the foreground, the ground is uneven and covered in sand with some sparse, low-lying vegetation. A chain-link fence runs horizontally across the middle ground, separating the foreground from the background. Behind the fence, there is a flat, open area that appears to be a field or a parking lot. In the far background, a line of trees is visible under a pale, overcast sky. The overall mood is one of isolation and abandonment.

No Longer
a *Dream...*

					
<p>Faint text below the first illustration.</p>	<p>Faint text below the second illustration.</p>	<p>Faint text below the third illustration.</p>	<p>Faint text below the fourth illustration.</p>	<p>Faint text below the fifth illustration.</p>	<p>Faint text below the sixth illustration.</p>
					
					<p>Faint text below the seventh illustration.</p>
					
					<p>Faint text below the eighth illustration.</p>
					
					<p>Faint text below the ninth illustration.</p>
					
					<p>Faint text below the tenth illustration.</p>
					
<p>Faint text below the eleventh illustration.</p>	<p>Faint text below the twelfth illustration.</p>	<p>Faint text below the thirteenth illustration.</p>	<p>Faint text below the fourteenth illustration.</p>	<p>Faint text below the fifteenth illustration.</p>	



Lee
Barrineau



Kevin
Balkom



Mia
Armstrong

Remembering the Times Together ...



David
Berndt



Patty
Bieger



DaVonne
Bivins



Corlee
Blum



Jason
Boney



Jason
Borden



Tabitha
Burney



Cristy
Burress



LaKeesa
Butler



Chad
Cavendar



Elizabeth
Chapman



Philip
Cheshire



Christina
Clark



Brooks
Coates



Angie
Cook



Barbara
Copeland



Mathis
Coxon



James
Crawford



Darci
Davidson



Carlos
Denson



Danielle
Davis



Lindsay
Dessum



Matt
Defore



Gigi
Denson

Memories of Happy Days ...



Tiffany
Domingos



Amanda
Evans



Paul
Filush



Jesse
Fortson



Carrie
Frank



Charles
Frey



David
Furtney



Ben
Hale



Caitlin
Hickey



Matt
Hodler



Jon
Howard



Lesley Anne
Jordan



Edward
Kendrick



Paul
Kirkland



Jason
Koch



Mike
Kusar



Johnny
Lamb



Justin
Leslein



Andrew
Lizek



Jeanie
Logan



Britton
Lockhart



Kerry
McLaurin



Mike
Mazza



Alexis
Mason

Good Times ...



Latonya
McClendon



Terese
McGee



Monica
McMillian



Mary Beth
Meadows



Rebecca
Merschat



Lindsay
Misch



Stephanie
Parker



Carrie
Pierce



Brinda
Ramaiya



Kimmie
Rankin



Lisa
Reeves



Ross
Ryan



Marcos
Sanchez



Marq
Sams



Catherine
Stroupe



Jeff
Strickland



Erica
Talley



Bill
Tice



Betsy
Washburn



Kendall
Wall



Chris
Vance



Narreinar
Williams



Whitney
Wimberly



Stephanie
Wilson

Least We Forget ..



Jeremy
Wisdom



Trish
Yarbrough



Robert
Zimmerman

